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## EUROPE.

### The Difficulties as to the Withdrawal from Constantinople--Rapid Organization of the Turkish Army--Great Enthusiasm in English Military Circles.

LONDON, April 27.—Ex-Sultan Murad is fully restored to health and is closely guarded.

A *Standard's* Paris despatch says, official information reached here that General Todleben has been appointed Commander-in-chief of the Russian forces South of the Danube.

The *Standards* Rome correspondent gives the names of four American vessels which he says have been chartered by the Russian engineers, who were in Rome as follows: Charlestown, Freedom, Hawk and Sainrock. No American vessels of these names, engaged in the shipping trade in the levant, can be discovered.

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Times says: It is not yet known whether the British Government will accept the new formula, viz.: That the Congress shall consider the treaties of 1856 and 1871, in relation to the treaty of San Stefano. The British Cabinet does not insist on any particular form of words, but merely demands that Russia should in some way, formally recognize the supremacy of Europe relative to the Eastern question. The truth is that the discussions about the formula cover more important matters one issue out of the present complications, consists in undoing much of Russia's work, and giving the rest a European instead of specifically Russian character. Another consists in what is called the principle of Equivalents or compensation to the powers for Russian acquisitions. The latter solution is the one Russia desires, while Great Britain seems resolved to insist upon the former.

Prince Gortschakoff is decidedly better.

The *Times* Vienna correspondent says: The idea has been mooted of settling the difficulties in regard to the mutual withdrawal from Constantinople by arbitration or by international commission on the spot. It seems however to have been dropped as impracticable.

The Turkish army according to trustworthy accounts is being rapidly organized, and is becoming more and more a mainfactor, to be reckoned within the withdrawal question, as the Turkish ministry will probably decline to pledge itself to permit the return of the English and Russians if they once withdraw. It seems as if the only resource would be for the two powers to make some arrangement with the Sultan and take the chance of his carrying it out.

The Porte continues obdurate concerning the evacuation of Shumla and Varna.

The London correspondent of the *Manchester Guardian* in a despatch to that paper says, that great enthusiasm was manifested in military circles here to-night on its becoming known that the whole of the staff and commissioned officers stationed at Aldershot, received stringent orders from the war office to hold themselves in complete readiness for action. In addition to this general order it was stated that all the principal officers had received important secret instructions for certain contingencies.

The *Central News* agency of London announces that it is informed that orders will be shortly issued for the immediate formation for a 2nd army corps and the raising of the battalion of that corps to a war establishment.

A special despatch to the *Times* from Belgrade, says: "Disturbances have broken out at Nish and Pirot between the inhabitants and the Servian authorities, in consequence of the Russian summons for recruits."

A famine is raging at Vranja, caused by military requisitions.

The *Times'* Rutschuk correspondent telegraphs that out of six thousand Russians here, forty or fifty die daily of ordinary and spotted typhus. At Adrianople, Sistova and Tirnova it is reported that hundreds die daily.

The *North German Gazette*, of Berlin, says the action of diplomacy centres in the answer of England to Italy's inquiry as to the English programme. At the outbreak of war England honorably laid down her interests as the guide and measure of her attitude. Since the conclusion of peace she has been exclusively parading the cothurn of so-called European interests. No one knows how their interests are to be described. Her programme, the color of which England must sooner or later make known, and which has already assumed various aspects from the language of the different English Ministers, will ultimately be decisive of the Eastern crisis.

The *Times*, in a leading editorial article, comments on the dispatch from its St. Petersburg correspondent, in which it was stated that one issue out of the present complications consists in undoing much of Russia's work, and giving the rest a European instead of a specifically Russian character. That another consists in what is called the principle of equivalents or compensation to the powers for Russia's acquisitions, and that the latter solution is the one Russia desires, while Great Britain seems resolved to insist upon the former. The article says: "It is the partition of Turkey that Russia desires now; it was the partition she desired at the time of the Crimean war, against such a policy we contended then and are contending now."

Referring to the Italian proposition that England states her views, the *Times* says: "It would be futile and inconsistent with our position to propose any scheme until the main principle of European control has been conceded, without which no scheme could acquire validity or sanction."

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Times says: "I observe that the foreign press devote much attention to the street disorders which recently occurred in St. Petersburg and Moscow. Some organs seem to regard them as symptoms of a dangerous revolutionary movement. In reality they have no such significance. There is not the slightest danger of public tranquility being seriously disturbed; any danger of that kind will first appear, if it appears at, all when prices rise and taxation is increased."

### Bonds to be Called In.

NEW YORK, April 27.—It was rumored on the street that the Secretary of the Treasury is about calling in ten millions of 5-20 bonds.

### Another Cashier Missing.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., April 27.—Jas. Baine, Cashier of the Salem National Bank, is missing. The following note to his father-in-law has been found in the bank: "Mr. Lyons I am financially disgraced and ruined; Wall street did it. I know not, and no one cares whither I go. God save my wife and child. JAMES BAINE."

He had a fortune of his own, and is supposed to have been speculating in Wall street. It remains to be ascertained if the bank's money has been used. On opening the safe some $200,000 in money and bonds were found.

### Failures.

CHICAGO, April 27.—Petitions in bankruptcy: Belden F. Culver, real estate dealer, secured debts $63,000; unsecured, $126,000; assets, $18,000. Samuel J. Walker, real estate and capitalist, liabilities over $2\frac{1}{4}$ million; estimated assets $4,000,000. Douglas S. Taylor, real estate dealer, secured debts $262,000; unsecured, $34,000; accommodation paper, $11,000; no assets.

BOSTON, April 27.—The creditors of Nathan Matthews, who in 1870, was worth from $6,000,000 to $7,000,000, have petitioned him into bankruptcy. Matthews has been an extensive operator in real estate, and this failure is principally due to the enormous shrinkage in that class of property during the last few years.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., April 27.—Rev. A. C. Vanderwater, of Pana, filed voluntary, petition in bankruptcy—liabilities, over a quarter of a million; assets, nothing.

CLEVELAND, O., April 27.—Perry Prentis, lawyer, has failed for $144,000; assets, $6,000.

### A Prospective Compromise.

LONDON, April 28.—A *Times* despatch from Berlin says there is a prospect of a compromise between the Vatican and Prussia. The Vatican has instructed Reichstag, in Prussia, to be moderate in language.

ROME, April 28.—The negotiations for the restoration of the relations between the Vatican and the Swiss Government have nearly fallen through, in consequence of the opposition of the exiled Bishops of Basle and Geneva.

### The Strike in England.

LONDON, April 27.—The firms represented at the spinners' meeting at Oldham, run 4,000,000 spindles. The meeting decided that each employer must follow his own course in regard to the reduction of time.

Although it is stated the strike of the cotton operatives at Preston is ended, that appears to be the case only so far as the operatives and spinners are concerned. The weavers, winders and warpers are still standing out, and there seems to be no likelihood of any settlement at present.

### Southern Congressmen Visiting Boston.

BOSTON, April 27.—The delegation of Southern Congressmen, consisting of Senators Gordon, Morgan and Jones, and Representatives Carlisle, Ellis, Yeates, Whitthorne, Clark, Hooker, Young, Morey and Goode, who were invited to visit this city by the Boston Commercial Club, arrived and were escorted to their hotel by a comittee of this organization.

### Rhode Island Banks.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 27.—The Supreme Court granted a temporary injunction on the Poscoag Saving Bank, in Burrilville.

Unusual activity prevailed at nearly all the savings banks to-day. The soundest encountering the heaviest run. The Union and Jackson Institution have to-day decided to enforce the notice provided by the charter.

### Forty-Fifth Congress.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—HOUSE—The bill for removing the political disabilities of George S. Shryock, of Missouri, passed.

The Indian appropriation bill, appropriating $4,772,000, passed.

The House then went into a Committee of the Whole on the Legislative, Executive and Judicial appropriation bill without action.

### A Schooner Aground.

WASHINGTON, April 28.—The Signal Service Station, at Sandy Hook, N. J., reports the three masted schooner, Carrie S. Hart, Davis Captain, with sugar from Cienfuegos for New York, grounded near this station at 7 a. m. She has a tow line out to two tugs, which are keeping her off of shore as much as possible till high water at 5 p. m., when the captain says she will be got off.

### Sparks From the Wires.

William Evarts, son of Secretary Evarts, is dead.

H. J. Jewett has been elected Presideot of the Erie Railway.

Henri Rochefort has married Miss Strebinger, a Swiss lady.

Eight thousand soldiers go to Cuba in the autumn.

Executions for about $150,000 on judgments obtained for the government, were levied yesterday by the United States Marshal, upon the tobacco and other stock of Christian A. Lienthal at his tobacco factory in Barclay street, New York.

### The Paris Exposition.

PARIS, April 27.—A hundred thousand foreigners have already reached here to witness the ceremony of the opening of the exhibition Wednesday next, May 1st. The prices of living are advanced, but not to the extent feared.

### Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, April 27.—Bank statement, loans decreased $1\frac{3}{4}$ millions; specie decreased $3\frac{1}{4}$ millions; legal tenders increased $2\frac{3}{4}$ millions; deposits decreased $1\frac{1}{8}$ millions; reserve decreased $\frac{1}{4}$ million; banks hold $17\frac{1}{2}$ millions in excess of legal requirements.

### Flowers.

[Norfolk Landmark.]

Gather ye rosebuds while ye may,
Old Time is still a-flying;
And this same flower, that smiles to-day,
To-morrow will be dying.

Flowers are the greatest types of delicate and durable friendship. They spring up by our side when others have deserted it; and they will be found watching over our graves when others, who cherished us in life, have forgotten us. It is meet and fitting that flowers and music, kind friends and earnest words, should consecrate the hour when a sentiment passes into a sacrament.

## OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

### Congressional Proceedings--Speech of Mr. Robbins Opposing the Repeal of the Bankrupt Law--"Claims Against the Goverument and Who Make Them.

WASHINGTON, April 26, 1878.

The prime events in Congressional circles, since my last weekly letter to the NEWS, have been the passage, by the House, of the River and Harbor bill, of the Thurman Pacific Railroad Funding bill and the bill repealing the Bankrupt law,—the two last by very large majorities. *They* now only await the signature of the President to become laws of the land,—an approval not likely to be with-held, especially as their adoption over a veto is already assured. I have heretofore discussed the merits of the Funding bill very fully. Its passage should be hailed with general satisfaction, as a necessary step in saving something of the people's money from the greedy corporation, which seem to have reduced the whole art and mystery of financiering to facility in cheating the government.

On the bill repealing the bankrupt law there were only 39 votes in the negative. All of the North Carolina delegation voted against the repeal, except Messrs. Scales and Brogden, who were absent—the former on urgent business and the latter on account of sickness. Mr. Robbins delivered an effective speech on the question, opposing repeal at present. He very forcibly and properly stated that in North Carolina, particularly, there was a condition of affairs calling on Congress to grant some time to men who are in distress. He alluded to the effects of the late Homestead decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, and urged that the immediate abrogation of the Bankrupt law would greatly aggravate the hardship and distress in our State. "To take the benefit of that law," said he. "is but a dreary refuge and a *dernier resort*, it is true; but let us at least agree to leave it a little while longer to those who may find it necessary to fly to it as the only shield against actual beggary for themselves and their families." Major Robbins spoke, as he always does, pointedly and eloquently.

We have had two other speeches from North Carolina members during the week. Col. Steele made a sensible and telling effort on the general subject of Taxation, which has not yet been published but is withheld for revision, and Gen. Vance delivered a very capital speech on the "Increase of Mail Service in the South." He showed, by a bristling and striking array of facts and figures, how the South had contributed to the material wealth of the country, and drew a flattering and graphic picture of the mineral and agricultural resources of our own State, and its attractions for immigration. He enlarged upon the demands created by the growth of population and industries for more rapid movements along the line of trade, and concluded with a glowing delineation of the advancing strides of traffic and of invention.

It may not be amiss to state, in this connection, that Gen. Vance has been called to the chair several times, lately, and has presided over the House with dignity and readiness.

One of the most notable and admirable speeches of the week was that of the Hon. H. D. Money, of Mississippi, on the general subject of "Claims against the government and who make them." Mr. M. is a comparatively young man, of fine presence and ability, and is a true type of the accomplished Southern gentleman. His speech (to be followed, shortly, by one from Mr. Davis on the same question,) deserves to be extensively circulated as a complete and crushing reply to the fanatical, unjust and senseless clamor that is being raised on the subject of Southern claims,—a clamor that is destined to be the Radical war-cry and shibboleth in the ensuing Fall campaigns. Figures do not lie, neither can they be successfully perverted, and Mr. Money's exhibit is invincible and unanswerable. He *proves*, by a detailed and official statement, that, from the adoption of the Constitution to 1873, $228,000,000 were expended by the government in the Northern and Western States and Territories, for various public improvements, against $71,000,000 in the Southern States. This is exclusive of the value of 176,000,000 of acres of lands granted the North and West for the same purpose, as against 17,000,000 granted the South. And, then, by an itemized presentation, Mr. Money shows that the bills thus far introduced in the present Congress by Northern men for the benefit of Northern enterprises and people foot up the bewildering and stupendous sum of $1,569,122,035.13!! Even the reckless inexactness of the New York *Tribune* brings the aggregate amount asked for by the South to only $150,000,000. Well, says the gallant gentleman from Mississippi: "*Our* array, compared with *their's*, is as Fallstaff's ragged regiment to the purple and gold-glittering myriads of the Persian monarch; a mere skirmish line to the grand army. They tell us of Southern raids on the Treasury! This is not a Northern *raid;* it is a campaign, a siege. They have set down before the Treasury and encompassed it around, and the "gainful pillage" which paid their former efforts warrants their expectations of success."

I am rapidly and reluctantly coming to the conclusion that our "allies," the Northern Democracy, are not above suspicion in the matter of succumbing to this false and malignant hue and cry against the South, in connection with the subject of "claims." Of course, there are many and honorable exceptions of statesmen and journals who are above the contemptible prejudice and misrepresentation, but there must be a public sentiment behind which justifies a leading Northern Democratic paper (a copy of which I have before me,) in speaking of the present Democratic House of Representatives as "the Confederate House," and in intimating, as the reason for its postponing the Senate resolution to adjourn on the 10th of June, that "the Confederate Brigadiers have axes to grind."

Let me say a word, before referring to other matters, with reference to South Carolina's Democratic delegation in the House,—Messrs Aiken and Evins. It is almost impossible to ever estimate the increased dignity and influence that have been given to the voice of the State since these gentlemen have taken the place of the men who formerly dominated their districts. The State and the country,—the cause of decent representation and of public morals,—have gained inexpressibly by the substitution, on the floor of the House, of such a man as Col. Jno. H. Evins in lieu of the notorious Wallace. A high-toned, honorable gentleman,—firm and faithful in the discharge of duty,—sensible, earnest practiced and assiduous,—he is an honor to his constituency, and, it is to be hoped that he will be returned to this theatre of his usefulness.

The development of McLin as to the infamous swindle, by which the vote of Florida was counted for Hayes, are creating a decided sensation. The truth or falsity of these will, doubtless, be "muchly" ventilated when the contested election case from that State,—Finley vs. Bisbee,—has a hearing, as it was principally in one of the counties of Bisbee's (the sitting Republican member's) District that the grossest frauds were perpetrated. I think it may safely be assumed that there is a growing disposition to investigate the Great Fraud of the century, but it has not developed, and will hardly culminate, sufficiently, to warrant any expectation of a serious attempt to go *behind the title* of Hayes. Perhaps the growing disclosures and evidences of the villainous process by which the will of the people was defeated may prompt that virtuous official, in some moment of awakened conscience, to resign,—but then, there is, or may be, a "sea of trouble" beyond. It is the reluctance, more than anything else.

"To take up arms against that sea of trouble,' that will stave off decisive action in the premises,—no disinclination to ferret out the crime or pity for the criminals. The sentiment,—and it is, under all the circumstances, the correct sentiment—is that it is "better to bear the ills we have" than to kindle the flames of a new and bitter strife. The rewards of the future will atone for the patience and forbearance of the present time.

I regret that I have been unable thus far to procure a copy of the Supreme Court decision in the Homestead case, but I am promised one in a few days. Three opinions were delivered, all of them arriving at the same conclusion by different roads. Justice Swayne delivered the opinion of the Court; Justice Clifford filed an opinion; and Justice Hunt's argument and judgment are mainly based on the excessiveness of the exemption under our Homestead,—a very singular ground, as it appears to one uninitiated in the law.

Among the *distinguished* individuals at present in the City is Gen. Milton S. Littlefield! He is stopping at Willards' and looks as hale and hearty as in the days when he ran riot with the bad men in North Carolina who brought our good old State to "the very verge and precipice" of ruin.

The close of Lent has ushered in an active season of theatrical and social gaieties and festivities.

This day—the 26th of April,—so memorable in the annals of Odd Fellowship, is being celebrated with great *eclat* by the members of that noble Brotherhood in this City.

S. G.

### Letter from Durham.

(Correspondence of the News.)

DURHAM, ORANGE COUNTY, April 26th, 1878.

The Raleigh NEWS reaches us daily, and is always welcome. It has become a "home attachment," and we hope it may never be severed. Old Orange is safe and ready for the campaign, and has stood aloof from the P. Bulldoze M. controversy. She will support such men as Tom Ruffin, W. N. H. Smith and Alemand A. McKoy for the Supreme Court bench. Judge McKoy, leaves everybody in love with him wherever he goes, his heart is as big as all out-of doors and his intellect combined, makes him one of North Carolina's grandest, noblest sons. Would that he could ride as our Judge for all time to come. Orange, we think, will send Gus. Graham to the Senate, C. B. Green and Hutchins or Russell to the House. Durham is "all hot" over our town election. Col. D. C. Parish and M. A. Angier, two old wheel horses, are running for Mayor, and the rest of the town for Commissioners. We get treated to lemonade every day. The wheat and oats in the county are looking well. Farmers are about done planting corn and are busy planting cotton and setting out tobacco. We have good prospects for peaches. The apple trees did not bloom profusely, and we think the crop will be small. Our farmers work harder as money grows "tighter," and we expect to come down in full force with a good report to the fair this fall.

W.

### History of Wilson.

(Wilson Advance.)

Capt. R. T. Fulghum, Special Correspondent of the Raleigh *News*, is on a visit to Wilson for the purpose of writing up for publication in that paper, a historical sketch of the town. Many of our readers have no doubt seen the history of Goldsboro, published in the *News*, which was prepared by Capt. Fulghum, and which contained a full and comprehensive sketch of the town and its business and leading citizens. Capt. Fulghum is a native of Wilson, and has been connected with the press of the State for the last 12 years, and we take pleasure in commending him as well as the object he has in contemplation, to the most favorable consideration of our people. No town in the State of its age, has any right to be prouder of its record than Wilson, whether we consider the beauty and healthfulness of its location, the prosperity and enterprise of its business, the good order of its government or the generous and hospitable character of its citizens, and in writing up its history, we know of no one more competent for the task than Capt. Fulghum. Such a sketch as he will prepare will no doubt result in good to the town and the nominal expense attending the same will be like bread scattered upon the waters.

### Judge Schenck in Cherokee.

(Cor. Asheville Citizen.)

A public meeting in the court house, has decided for Judge Schenck as a candidate for a position on the Supreme Court bench.

Two lawyers, when a knotty case was o'er.
Shook hands and were friendly as before.
"Zounds!" said the client, "I would fain know how
You can be friends, who were such foes just now?
"Thou fool," said one, "we lawyers, though so keen,
Like shears, ne'er cut ourselves, but what's between."

While cutting a levee to let off a back water in Bolivar county, Mississippi, last Thursday, a party of men were swallowed by the rush of waters and four of of them were drowned.

Six thousand acres will be planted in sugar-cane in Minnesota this spring.

### County Debts--Legal View.

*To the Editor of the News:*

SIR:—Some of the counties of the State are largely in debt. The question is, how shall the debts be paid? There is no way of paying a public debt, except by taxation. The General Assembly is in the habit of passing acts authorizing County Commissioners to levy taxes to pay the indebtedness of the respective counties to which the particular acts are applicable, with the proviso that the question shall be submitted to a vote of the people of the particular counties, for them to say whether the tax shall be levied. If the vote is in favor of levying the tax, it is levied; if unfavorable, it is not levied. In many cases the vote is against the levy, and honest and meritorious creditors are postponed, interest is accumulated, public improvements are trammeled, the credit of the county suffers, and no work in the way of public necessity can be done unless at exorbitant rates. The general consequence is, that things get worse and worse every year. Everybody can see that this is bad policy.

Let us see to what extent our present Constitution requires a county tax to be submitted to a vote of the people. Art. V, entitled "Revenue and Taxation," provides, sec. 1, "The General Assembly shall levy a capitation tax on every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under fifty years of age, which shall be equal on each to the tax on property valued at three hundred dollars in cash." Not a word here about how much the tax shall be, or submitting it to a vote. Section 6, of same Article, provides that the county tax shall not exceed the double of the State tax. Art. VII provides that "No county * * * shall contract any debt, * * * nor shall any tax be levied or collected by any officer of the same, except for the necessary expenses thereof, unless by a vote of a majority of the qualified voters therein." Is there anything here prohibiting the levy of taxes for debts incurred for the necessary expenses of the county? Not a word. If the tax is to be levied to run a railroad or turnpike through the county, or for any other purpose not embraced in "the necessary expenses" of the county, then the question is to be submitted to a vote of the qualified voters of the county; but there is no constitutional provision requiring the question to be submitted to a vote of the people to meet necessary expenses.

When a county is in debt for feeding the poor, for keeping prisoners, for building bridges, and for the salaries and fees of county officers, fees of jurors and witnesses—these are necessary expenses, and there is nothing in the Constitution forbidding the county commissioners from levying a tax sufficient to pay these debts, without any intervention of the Legislature, and without any vote on the subject. Art. 5, sec. 6, of the Constitution provides that "the taxes levied by the commissioners of the several counties for county purposes, shall be levied in like manner with the State taxes, and shall never exceed the double of the State tax, except for a special purpose, and with the special approval of the General Assembly." Several terms ago in the Supreme Court, this section came under review, and the purport of the decision, as I recollect, was, that in county expenses, the commissioners must "cut the garment according to the cloth;" that is, they cannot, in ordinary cases, more than double the State tax for county purposes. For special purposes this limitation may be exceeded by the Legislature.

But suppose a county is in debt for ordinary purposes, jail fees, poor house bills, building bridges &c., and the debts are increasing from year to year, the county commissioners are sued, cost incurred, and creditors continually clamoring for their money; the commissioners levy a tax for county purposes double the amount for state purposes, and still the debts are unpaid—what is to be done? Why, the Legislature says, "we will help you—we will give you the privilege of holding an election in your county, for the voters to say whether they will pay their debts or not." Now, paying the debts of a county which have been incurred "for the ordinary expenses thereof." (At VII, sec. 7 const.,) is quite a different thing from special purpose," Art. 5 sec. 6. Where taxes are to be levied by the commissioners for a "special purpose," such as building a railroad, a turnpike, and perhaps a court house, the approval of the General Assembly must first be had to enable the commissioners to levy a tax double the amount of the State tax; (Art. 5, sec. 6, const.) and then to carry this measure into effect the people must be consulted at the ballot box, and their approval had. But all this is quite foreign from a debt incurred by a county "for the necessary expenses thereof."

But when the Legislature construes the payment of debts, incurred for necessary expenses, to be "a special purpose," (as it seems to have done in some cases,) and the question of *pay* or *no pay* is submitted to the people of the county, and they vote *no pay*; and the commissioners levy the tax to the full extent of Art. 5, Sec. 6 of the Constitution, and still the debts are unpaid—what then? In that case it is very clear that the State passed a law impairing the obligation of a contract (Sec. 10, par. 1, Constitution of the United States). The people won't pay, and the Commissioners are hedged in by the organic law of the State. In such a case the weaker must give way to the stronger. The Constitution of the United States being the supreme law of the land, State constitutions and State statutes must give way, and the provisions of the higher law must be obeyed.

It really seems to me as reasonable for a State to pass a law, (whether that law be organic or statutory,) submitting the question of *pay* or *no pay* to the debtors of a merchant, as for a similar question to be submitted to the voters of a county, every one of whom, who is subject to taxation, is a debtor. The question is not, shall a debt, "for a special purpose," be incurred, but the question is, shall a debt *already incurred be paid*. And if we have any law, either in the Constitution or in the statutes, behind which the people of a county or any class of debtors can take shelter, and say, we will not pay, such law is a nullity.

As soon as a county becomes a corporate body, capable of making contract through her lawfully constituted agents, she comes as much under the provisions of the Constitution of the United States, in regard to contracts, as an individual man, and the State has no more authority to pass a law impairing the obligation of her contracts, than to pass a law impairing the obligation of the contracts of individual citizens.

What is the obligation of a contract? It is not simply to acknowledge the existence of the debt, but to pay the debt. The only way to pay a public debt is by taxation. If, therefore, the commissioners of a county are so entrammeled by the State Constitution that they cannot, under its provisions, levy a tax sufficient to pay the indebtedness of the county, the obligation of the contract, so far as the payment of the debt is concerned, (which is the main thing,) is impaired.

What then? Creditors have an undoubted right to sue out a mandamus, to compel the county commissioners to levy a tax sufficient to pay the indebtedness of the county. If the Judge before whom the writ is made returnable refuse to grant the relief sought, an appeal lies to the Supreme Court; if that Court refuse, an appeal lies to the Supreme Court of the United States.

LEGIS.

### Wake Forest College.

(Correspondence of the News.)

WAKE FOREST, N. C., April 27, 1878.

The third and final senior exhibition of the present class came off last night at $7\frac{1}{2}$ o'clock.

PROGRAMME:

A. E. Walters, College Hill—"Hope, the star of human existence."

MUSIC.

W. T. Jordan, Henderson county, N. C., "Within the Vail."

MUSIC.

J. C. Caddell, Moore county, N. C., "Great doors turn on small hinges."

MUSIC.

V. D. Johnson, Richmond county, N. C., "Success in life."

MUSIC.

W. E. Daniel, Weldon, N. C., "Man's Hidden Life."

MUSIC.

W. J. R. Ford, Marion county, S. C., "Tripples lighter than straws are leaves in the building up of character."

MUSIC.

J. G. Bunch, Chowan county, N. C., "Memory, the store-house of mind."

MUSIC.

F. R. Cooper, Sampson county, N. C., "Man, the king or captive toy of circumstances."

The speaking over, as usual we made our way for the long passages, "courting alley," and the literary halls. The speeches were all good, but too long for short nights. Were I to attempt a criticism, I fear I could not do justice, but think Messrs. Daniel and Bunch deserve special mention for delivery, and Mr. Cooper for the merits of his speech. We are doubtful whether it is true that "*great* doors turn on *small* hinges," but Mr. Caddell did show us that

"Large oaks from little acorns grow;
Large streams from little fountains flow."

Seven more weeks and I hope you and many of your readers will have the pleasure of hearing and judging the class for themselves. We failed to say in the proper place that the junior declamation came off at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. What we heard of the speeches were good. Messrs. M. A. Jones, Strickland, Allen and H. Montague conducted a short debate on the "slanderer and flattery" question, which was appreciated and enjoyed. They were highly complimented by all.

The attendance was not so large as usual, nevertheless the occasion was very much enjoyed by all present.

### Free Fun From the Free Press.

If a man will be economical he can make a trip to Paris and back for $100. This can include a six months stay in France—in jail.

Nothing is impossible. A man may think he can't climb over a picket fence, but a big dog will settle the case in the affirmative at the first growl.

Almost any man who has heard about the late war, or who had any relatives in it, can apply for a pension. He may not always get one, but it won't be his fault.

A Virginia saloon keeper will spend more hours trying to beat the bell-punch out of ten cents than would suffice him to commit any four chapters of the Bible to memory.

An exchange says that "spring poetry, as a rule, is not worth the paper on which it is written." This statement is grossly inaccurate. Spring poetry brings two cents a pound every time, just the same as the other contents of the basket.

### Senator Merrimon.

*To the Editor of the News:*

SIR:—I have had the opportunity, during the last few weeks, to get the views of many voters in reference to Hon. A. S. Merrimon. Cicero W. Harris, Esq., is correct in stating that Hon. A. S. Merrimon got that position through a bargain made with radicals. The voters referred to above, know this. The legislators who represent these voters will have to send some other man to the Senate. Merrimon's record seems to have been a most creditable one. But Cataline apparently bore no ignoble part in the Roman Senate, even while he conspired in secret against Rome and the Conscript Fathers.

I do not accuse Judge Merrimon of more than *two* acts of treason: The first was to the Democratic party; the second to the Republicans who joined his handful of Democratic friends. His Congressional record *may* be an honorable one, but twice he betrayed his adherents.

Hoping Zeb Vance will get all he wants, I am,

GRANVILLE COUNTY.

April 24.

### Curritack.

(Correspondence of the News.)

CURRITUCK C. H., April 24, '78.

No excitement here over the nominations yet. When the ball opens I will keep you posted. Something unusual for this healthy county. We have lost one of our citizens, Joseph Snowden who died on the 19th inst, aged 22 years, son of Isaac Snowden, one of our weathiest farmers, he died very suddenly of congestion of the lungs.

Three young Indian braves, the only ones left at St. Augustine when those lately confined in the fort there were taken North, visited Jacksonville on Thursday last. They attracted a great deal of curiosity, at which they were much annoyed. One of them noticing a gaping crow of colored men and brethren watching and following them, turned around in considerable disgust and said, "Here niggers, don't follow us."

## DEATH OF A BELOVED MINISTER.

### Rev. Jacob Doll dies Suddenly in Newbern--A Sketch of his Life and Character.

(Special by telegraph to the News.)

NEWBERN, N. C., April 27.—6 p. m.

Rev. Jacob Doll, stated clerk of Orange Presbytery now in session here, died suddenly this afternoon at two-and-a-half o'clock, of heart disease.

J. B. B.

SKETCH OF THE DECEASED.

There are few ministers in North Carolina whose sudden death will cause more sincere sorrow than that of Jacob Doll. He was universally known in the Presbyterian church, and greatly beloved by the ministers of his own and all other churches. He was of unusually genial disposition and lovely social qualities. With deep, yet simple and unostentatious piety this man of God was always a welcome guest to either scenes of joy or sorrow.

Mr Doll was about 67 years of age. He was a native of Virginia, a graduate of Union Theological Seminary of Prince Edward Virginia. He was licensed to preach by Orange Presbytery at their meeting at Nutbush church in Granville county about the year 1838. He was first pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Louisburg, then at Oxford, and was then called to Milton. From Milton he went to Madison in Rockingham county, where he had charge of a large female school, but, preferring to preach, he gave up his school and accepted a call from the church at Yanceyville, where he remained until about four years ago, when he was called to Reidsville where he was the beloved pastor at the time of his death. He was stated clerk of both Orange Presbytery and the Synod of North Carolina. He filled these responsible offices in the ecclesiastical courts of his church with marked ability and few records were ever more accurately or acceptably kept than were his. He was moderator at the last meeting of the Presbytery at Milton in September last, and preached the opening sermon of the Presbytery at New Berne on Wednesday evening last.

As a preacher he was an earnest and faithful expounder of the Gospel. He passed through our city on Tuesday last looking in unusually robust health; and of all the delegates, he was the last one we should have selected for so early and sudden a death—"but God's ways are not our ways"—and this beloved minister has gone to realize the hopes and glories of the blest Gospel, he has so long and faithfully proclaimed.

A more full and able sketch of his useful life will no doub tbe prepared and given to the public.

### Judge Schenck.

(Charlotte Democrat.)

After announcing, last week, the withrawal of Judge Schenck as a candidate for Chief Justice, we resolved not to allude to the contest about Supreme Court candidates again until the meeting of the State Convention, but as Judge Schenck is absent in the extreme Western part of the State holding Courts, and too far off for early communication with his friends, we think we ought to say that we consider many of the publications in Eastern Democratic cotemporaries as unfair and unkind to Judge Schenck and also without foundation in fact. The insinuations made by editorials and communications in some of the papers that Judge Schenck made "bargains," or formed "rings," or co-operated with "rings," for the purpose of unfairly assaulting and injuring Judge Smith, are not justified by facts and are very unfair in the absence of Judge Schenck. Also, the re-publication, by Democrats, of what North Carolina radicals write to Northern radical sheets against Judge Schenck, is at least unkind to that gentleman, especially when he is not conveniently present to speak for himself in denial. And is it not a little curious that all the charges and insinuations contained in those radical letters are directed against Judge Schenck and his friends, and none against Judge Smith and his popular friends?

We are not *authorized* to speak or act or manage for Judge Schenck more than heretofore announced in withdrawing his name for Chief Justice, but we deem it a duty to him who has been a prominent and leading Democrat in this part of the State, while he is absent, to speak out and condemn the treatment he has recently received from the hands of certain persons in the Eastern part of the State. When he returns from his Judicial duties he may speak for himself and show how unjustly he has been assailed and probably allude to those who have sneakingly instigated assaults and have tried to turn popular clamor against him, some of whom promised to take no part in the contest; but we are not authorized to say what he will do. "It is not our fight," and we have thought that some of those who solicited and urged Judge Schenck to permit his name to be used for Chief Justice should have long ago come forward to his defence concerning the charges above alluded to; but as they have not done so, we feel that we would be untrue to even common friendship if we were to remain silent when we believe that gross injustice has been done a Democratic leader like Judge Schenck who has always stood high with his party and in the estimation of those who know him well. He is as good a man now as he was when he received the largest vote for Judge of this District ever given to any one—he triumphed over all sorts of charges then, and it is unfair to condemn him now without giving him a fair hearing—that much is due any man. We never desert a man because a clamor is raised against him by designing men or by the multitude, and neither will we praise and worship men simply because the multitude praise and hurrah for them.

According to our best recollection we have never seen an assault on Judge Smith of any sort except in one paper, *and that paper is published in Judge Smith's own section of the State.* So far as *assaults* and insinuations are concerned Judge Schenck's friends have far more cause and reason for complaint than have Judge Smith's friends. For ourself we can say that we have never spoken an unkind or unfair word of Judge Smith in our life, either privately or publicly, and we don't believe that any of his friends think we have done so, but we do consider their allusions and insinuations against Judge Schenck and many of his friends unfair and unjustified. With the withdrawal of Judge Schenck from the candidacy for Chief Justice we think the attacks and insinuations against him, by Democrats, should have ceased; *but that has not been the case.*

It is no horrible crime if Judge Schenck did want to be Chief Justice, and neither is it a crime for his friends to electioneer for him as long as the office is within the gift of the popular vote. Does not Judge Smith want the place, and have not his friends been active in electioneering for him? If Judge Smith has been silent himself and stood on his dignity, we know his friends have been very active. One side is no more to blame on that point than the other.

We do not want to refer to the subject again. We have done so now with reluctance and only from a deep sense of duty to an absent gentleman and his real and true friends. We could say no less—we do not want to say more.

In the above remarks we intend no allusion, whatever, to the Ku Klux controversy. We have never published anything about that matter heretofore for or against any candidate, and do not expect to do so now.

### Glances from the Burlington Hawkeye.

A boy's idea of heaven is a place where all the water pipes perpetually frozen and the comb box is eternally lost.

The president must be a most outrageously weak man or he wouldn't need so many indorsements to make him good.

Two for assent—a bridal couple.—*New York Commercial*. Three for ache water—a trio at the physicing springs. *Danbury News*.

As the eminent theologians left him no other place to go, Boss Tweed went to heaven and calmly awaits the coming of Beecher and the rest of the good men.

Dr. Mary Walker is trying to raise a mustache, and her upper lip looks like a last year's tooth brush in the last stages of consumption.

Bismarck drinks nothing but the finest brandy, and it makes the boys feel sick to call the party up to the bar when the price is in the crowd.

If congress would only remonetize brass, now, every true born American would go right ahead with his own mint, and specie payment would be resumed within fifteen minutes after the passage of the bill.

Bayard Taylor says he is willing to acknowledge that General Grant has had more free dinners than himself, but he wants to bet his shirt that he didn't get away with so many so close together.

Rev. John Jasper sticks to it that "the sun moves." We believe him. We have seen it move a corner loafer over to the shady side of the street, when no other power could so have moved him.

Baltimore Sun: The United States are far in advance of any other country in point of agriculture, the development of this department of industry having been truly marvelous in late years. Thus the corn crop increased from 768,320,000 bushels in 1867 to 1,340,000,000 in 1877, or nearly a hundred per cent., in a single decade. The hog crop, which may be said to be a product of the corn crop, reached the enormous total for the year ending with last month, of 9,048,566 head, an increase of rising a hundred per cent., during the last ten years. The yield of wheat for the past year was 360,000,000 bushels, or 50,000,000 more than was ever before produced. Deducting the amount necessary for home consumption and seed, upwards of 110,000,000 bushels is left for export. In almost all other farm products there has been nearly a corresponding increase.

It seems that the Bishop of Michigan did not resign of his own will and choice, but at the positive injunction of the official body of the church. Nevertheless, quite a number of Bishops express faith in his entire innocence. It seems that Bishop McCoskry has been guilty of some most unfortunate indiscretions, though the accusations that have been publicly brought against him are probably for the most part without foundation.—*Petersburg Index-Appeal.*

### Unusual.

Mess. A. C. Sanders & Co., are to-day receiving ten (10) Car Loads L & R Guano. Notwithstanding the lateness of the season their orders are so much larger than they expected that they were compelled to order this shipment by telegraph.

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### STATE NEWS.

Col. Wm. A. Allen, of Duplin, has announced himself as a candidate for the nomination for Congress, from this the Third Congressional District. "And the cry is still they come!"

Shelby Aurora: A little daughter of Mr. David Hoyle, of this county, had an attack of hydrophobia, one day this week, caused by her having a cut finger licked by a dog that had been bitten by a mad-dog.

Wilmington Star: A rattlesnake, measuring over four feet in length, was killed in Brunswick county, Thursday, by Mr. Erastus G. Goodman. His attention was called to the spot where the snake was discovered by the pitiful wail of a gosling, which had been struck by the poisonous fangs of the reptile, and died in a few minutes afterwards.

Murfreesboro Enquirer: The commencement exercises of the C. B. E. Institute will take place on June 24th, 25th and 26th. The address before the Literary Societies will be delivered by the Rev. R. T. Vann, of Scotland Neck. The annual sermon will be delivered by Rev. A. C. Dixon of Chapel Hill, and the annual address by Dr. Thomas E. Dunaway of Fredericksburg, Va. The success of this excellent school during the past session has been most excellent, and it is believed, from the selection of the talented speakers, that its commencement this year will equal, if not surpass, any in its history.

Charlotte Observer: Wednesday morning a fire broke out in a small frame house in Laurinburg, and the citizens of the ill-fated town, dreading a calamity similar to those which have overtaken it several times within the last few years, rushed out with buckets and succeeded in quelling the flames. After it was all over some one remembered for the first time that the town had recently bought a fire engine from the city of Wilmington, which was waiting in the engine house for service. There is an excellent fire company there, but they just didn't think of the engine at the time.

Hendersonville Era: Friday last a posse of Revenue officials from Greenville, S. C., made another raid into this county, in search of "moonshiners." They were under the guidance of the notorious Bill Springs, who has quit his evil ways, and been commissioned a Deputy Marshal. The posse came acoss an illicit still in the vicinity of the old Stockade, destroyed it and captured two or three of the "moonshiners," whom they proceeded to bind with ropes, and started to run into South Carolina. Two of the posse, named respectively Rufus Springs (a brother of Bill's) and Rufus Goslin, were ordered to cut and destroy the still. The main body had not gone far before hearing a shot in the direction of the still. Returning they found Rufus Springs dead, he having been shot through the back, and Rufus Goslin clubbed nearly to death. Alarmed for their safety, they released their prisoners, took up their dead and wounded comrade and retreated. The "moonshiners" bitterly resent the treason, as they call it, of the Springs, and have threatened to take their lives whenever an opportunity occurs.

### SOUTHERN NEWS.

There are pastures in Western Texas 200 miles in length.

The railroad men conduct a literary association in Nashville.

The city authorities of Savannah have decided to erect a quarantine hospital.

Senator Gordon will make an elaborate speech on the subject of the finances on Wednesday next.

It is said that Mrs. Heiskel, state librarian, is writing a biography of the governors of Tennessee.

The first meeting of the South Carolina Horticultural Society, took place in Charleston, on Wednesday.

The twelfth annual conference of the Virginia Colored M. E. Church assembled at Farmville, Va., Tuesday, Bishop Campbell presiding.

Rewards to the amount of $1,150 have been offered for the arrest of Dr. R. U. Palmer, who recently killed Colonel Salisbury in Seale, Alabama.

Col F. H. Archer has announced himself as a candidate for Mayor of Petersburg, Va. Col. W. E. Cameron, present incumbent, is also a candidates for re-election.

A heavy wind, rain and hail storm prevailed in West Virginia in the vicinity of Wheeling, Wednesday. A number of men slightly and several seriously injured. It is reported that two were killed.

A farmer in Charleston county, S. C., bought, four years ago, twenty-two common sheep, at $2.50 each. They fed themselves all the year round, and dogs did not disturb them. The owner has sold a quantity of wool and a number of lambs, and now has sixty ewes of better grade than those he began with. Taking into account the fleeces and lambs sold, the sheep bought have yielded a clear profit of four dollars a year each. One sheep gave, at one shearing, ten pounds of wool, which were sold for $1.80. The average value of the fleece is one dollar. These are hard facts and highly encouraging. Sheep raising is manifested very profitable.

The people of Castroville, Texas, freely talked the other day about tarring and feathering a Dr. Wadgymar, their county physician. The Sheriff had shot a Mexican horse thief, and wounded him so badly the doctor cut his leg off. He threw the leg into a pen of hogs, where it was found nearly devoured, and that plan of fattening hogs on the leg of a Mexican horse thief was seriously objected to.

Interesting tax figures from the Memphis Avalanche: It is worth while for men ambitious for public honors to remember that the present debt of Tennessee is $20 to every man and woman and child in the State. To pay the debt of the city of Memphis it will be necessary for every man, woman and child to contribute $120. To pay the Federal debt will take $41 more from every child, woman and man in the Union. The total assessment is $181.

A severe wind and rain storm passed over a section of Tennessee Tuesday night, doing great injury to buildings, trees and fences in and around Nashville and the surrounding country. The Cumberland River rose rapidly and great apprehensions of a disastrous freshet are felt. The track of the storm was one and a half miles in width. The damages along the line of the Nashville and Chattanooga road was very great. Trees were leveled, houses were blown away and the wheat crop was greatly injured in some sections. The storm extended to Georgia and West Virginia. In Georgia several persons had their limbs broken, and horses and mules were killed by falling timbers. In West Virginia one man was killed and five wer injured seriously. The roof of houses were blown off and great injury to property resulted. The storm extended to Ohio, where the damage was very great.

### The Angola Bay Canal.

In Onslow, Duplin and Pender counties lies a swamp known as "Angola Bay." It is a swamp of the same general character as those in other parts of eastern North Carolina, except that it has, according to the Report of the Geological Survey of North Carolina, a rather large proportion of barren soil covered with brambles, gall berries, bay and stunted pines. Its area is about 150 square miles, inclusive of "Holly Shelter." On the margin of this swamp are some fine heavily timbered white oak flats. With a view of draining this swamp, the Legislature of 1876-'77 passed an act to cut a canal through it. This undeveloped project is, in common parlance, known as the "Angola Canal."

Well, the Wilmington *Review* of a late issue, contained the following:

"THE ANGOLA CANAL.

Inquiries are coming in from Duplin and Pender, as to the cause of the delay in beginning operations upon this State work. The last Legislature ordered thirty convicts to be sent down to dig the canal. Governor Vance has during the last winter repeatedly assured the people of this section that the convicts should be furnished upon the opening of spring. Two months of beautiful spring have nearly passed, and yet no convicts have arrived. The people of the counties named are becoming impatient at the delay. The enterprise is important, as we have often shown. It promises much good, and Wilmington will share largely in the benefits. We appeal to the Governor to have the work completed and vigorously prosecuted."

It is here broadly intimated that Gov. VANCE has been neglectful in this matter. "Two months of beautiful spring have passed, and yet no convicts have arrived." Has Governor VANCE failed in the performance of his duty? Is he in any way responsible for the delay in beginning operations upon this important State work? Let us see. The following is the Act of Assembly, authorizing the project:

AN ACT TO CANAL ANGOLA BAY.

WHEREAS, There is a large quantity of valuable swamp lands in the Eastern part of the State, belonging to the Board of Education, that is now unsalable and consequently of no value to said Board, which, if drained, would readily sell for a fair price and thus add largely to the available funds of said Board of Education. Therefore,

SECTION 1. *The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact;* That the authorities of the Penitentiary detail thirty convicts under proper officers and guard to cut a canal from Croom's Bridge across North East River, through Angola Bay the most direct and practical route to the Duplin or Pender county line of sufficient width and depth to take off the surface and overflow water, and to construct along said canal a public road of the width of other public roads for the convenient passage of travelers on foot, in carriages, wagons and other vehicles.

SEC. 2. That this act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

Ratified the 9th day of March, A. D., 1877.

It will be seen from this act that the Governor has nothing to do with the matter. It is not within the scope of his official duties to inaugurate the work, or to push it to completion should it be once started. Yet, feeling a lively interest in this project, as he does in every other that concerns the good of North Carolina, Governor VANCE has again and again requested "the Penitentiary authorities," as designated in the mandatory part of the act above set forth, to send the thirty convicts as soon as practicable. The responsibility of the convicts not being sent, rests, then, entirely with the Penitentiary Board. Is that body justified for their non-action in the premises? Let us see.

The act, it will be observed, contains no provision for a survey; and it must be well known to every one familiar with such matters, that work on a canal cannot begin until a survey of the route to be followed is made, and that no survey can be made until a civil engineer be employed. If any engineer has been employed, or any survey made by anybody, for the purpose mentioned in this act, we do not know it.

The act lays down no precise route, but simply says "most direct and practical" route, to "either the Pender or Duplin county line." Who is to determine the route? Who is to show the convicts where to work, how deep to cut, &c.? In brief, who is to superintend or conduct the enterprise? There is no organized body, or authority of any kind, to receive convicts or do anything whatever. To whom then would the Penitentiary authorities send the hands?

Again there is no appropriation for tools and appliances either in the act cited or in any other act. And if the Penitentiary Board had the money there is no law permitting them to use it for anything but the support of the convicts, for guarding, transportation, &c.

In further justification of the Penitentiary authorities, we cite the following resolutions passed by the Board of Directors at their meeting on the 11th inst:

*Resolved*, that the Warden be authorized to detail a force of thirty convicts with a sufficient guard, and send them to Croom's Bridge or that vicinity after constructing necessary quarters and stockades, for the purpose of cutting a canal through Angola Bay, the most direct and practical route to the Duplin or Pender county line of sufficient width and depth to take off the surface and overflow water, and to construct along said canal a public road for the passage of travelers on foot, in carringes, wagons and other vehicles.

*Provided*, that persons or the countries interested in the construction of said canal shall employ and pay a civil engineer who is an expert in cutting canals and put him in charge of the duty of laying out the route of said canal and cutting the same and building said public road.

By direction of the Board, the Warden furnished copies of this resolution to the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of Pender and Duplin counties, and to Hon. John D. Standford, State Senator, accompanying the same with the following letter:

RALEIGH, N. C., April 16, 1878.

DEAR SIR:—Enclosed please find a copy of a resolution passed by the Board of Directors of this institution at their last meeting, which will explain itself.

You will please notify me when you have made the necessary arrangements and are ready to have the men placed on the works, and in the meanwhile please inform me at what point it will be most advantageous and desirable to erect the quarters; whether the whole work can be performed from one set of quarters, or will it be necessary that they shall be moved; if so, how often? What will be the most economical material in that section to be used for constructing the shanties, and what will it cost delivered on the ground? Are there any buildings near by where we should make the camp that can be had temporarily while we are building? If so, please state what buildings there are, their dimensions, and on what terms they can be had per month; also how long we could hold them in use.

An early reply will be highly appreciated.

Yours, very respectfully,
W. J. HICKS,
Architect and Warden.

To this communication no reply has been received. What then can the Penitentiary Board do? The hands are ready, and have been for some weeks, if anybody would receive them. That they have not complied with the act is no fault of theirs. Nor is Governor VANCE in any way, shape or form, responsible for the delay. The trouble lies in the defective nature of the act itself; and we see no hope for the Angola Bay project until further legislation is procured in its behalf.

THE Florida revelations continue to be the ruling political sensation of the day. The confessions go to make cumulative the evidence of the frauds by which the electoral vote of the "Flowery State" was stolen for Mr. Hayes. The exhaustive reports made by correspondents and Democratic committees, in the winter of 1876-'77, convicted all intelligent men of the rascalities now confessed to by Judge McLin and others implicated. The active, vigilant democratic and independent press long since tried and convicted the members of the Florida Returning Board. So, these confessions do not surprise or startle the country. What the effect of the disclosures, which remove all doubt from the minds of everybody of the perpetration of the frauds, will be, cannot be clearly foretold. They may lead to Congressional investigation, so as to place the frauds fully and undeniably before the country for future use and reference; but, in view of the expressions of the members of Congress recently published in these columns, it is hardly probable that any action, Congressional or otherwise, will be taken to unseat the present occupant of the White House.

The Senate bill to repeal the Bankrupt laws, heretofore set out in full in these columns, was passed by the House on the 25th. The bill as passed provides for the absolute repeal of the Bankrupt act, and all supplementary and explanatory acts, the amendments made by the House being added to perfect the Senate bill. It was discovered that the Senate bill failed to provide for the repeal of certain sections of the Revised Statutes on bankruptcy which were enacted in 1873, and the House amendments were simply intended to supply this omission. The involuntary and voluntary features go into effect at once, instead of on July 1 and January 1, as the Judiciary Committee proposed. There can be no proceedings in bankruptcy begun after the President signs the bill. Pending cases are of course not disturbed. The bill, was passed by an overwhelming majority.

THE General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South will convene in Atlanta on Wednesday, the 1st of May. Full reports of the meeting will appear in the NEWS, by telegraph and mail.

THE failures, bankruptcies, &c., reported this morning are unusually large. The imminent repeal of the Bankrupt Law is probably the cause of it.

THERE is no "Federalist" among the gentlemen mentioned prominently for the Supreme Bench. Uneasiness, therefore, on this score, is unfounded.

A lawyer in a Keokuk court room disagreed with his colleagues as to the management of a case. He stood up, had an officer to bring him a glass of water, and then, with much dignity, washed his hands, saying, "Your Honor will please bear witness that I wash my hands of this affair.


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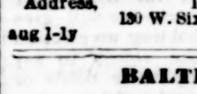

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**The Beautiful in Nature.**

I thank God for this good, green earth,
For every fair and pleasant bower,
That smiles upon the modest birth
Of every dew-bespangled flower.
I thank God for these little birds,
That soar aloft on joyous wing;
More eloquent than human words,
And sweeter, are the songs they sing.

I thank Him for the little stream,
That murmurs softly as it flows,
And trembles 'neath the golden beam
That on its crystal surface glows.
I thank Him for the gentle breeze,
That comes from o'er the lillied Lea,
And wantons with the nodding trees
Whose gracious branches shelter me!

I thank Him for the lovely face
Of Nature,—for the works of art,
And these, and all, have each a place
Within my sad, forsaken heart.
And though of every hope bereft—
Though lost to all I loved the best?
I feel that there is something left
When I can fly to Nature's breast!

Ah! mine has been a lonely lot—
And full of thorns my path appear,
The world I loved has loved me not.
Though I have stained its dust with tears.
If I have ne'er deserved its love,
Then, with a heart, all love and riven
I lift these streaming eyes above
And humbly ask to be forgiven.

**GENERAL NOTES.**

A lawsuit about $60 worth of calves cost Jones county, Iowa, $2,033.

London is to have a new bridge over the Thames to cost something like $16,000,000.

Socialism is making rapid strides in Germany. Nearly one-tenth of all the votes cast in 1877 were Socialistic.

Mrs. Dr. Mary Walker, who is dying at Washington, is forty-eight years old. Worry and annoyance have worn her out.

It is said that 150 commutations of sentence of French prisoners at New Caledonia are about to be submitted to the President of the Republic, for signature.

The German Government has appointed a commission of four gentlemen, of the highest distinction, to visit the different institutions for professional education throughout France.

The Carlist General Boet, aged 36 years, has been arrested for the theft of the necklace, Toison d'Or, from Don Carlos, who had employed him as his private secretary. Twenty-seven diamonds, estimated to be worth 1,000 francs, had been abstracted from the necklace. The total value of the this regal orament is said to be 350,000 francs.

The newspapers printed in Mexico have neither local nor telegraph news to speak of, but are ponderous in the way of "leader" and literary lore. The absence of local news is a distressing feature. You can scan their pages in vain for accounts of fires, murders, public meetings, reviews of troops, political meetings, court reports, or any other events which with us go to make up the local columns.

E. B. Alter obtained a divorce from his wife in La Crosse, Wis., and was awarded by the court the custody of their little girl. Mrs. Alter hid the child, and was committed to prison for contempt, the Judge saying that she would not be released until she obeyed his order. She declares that she will endure imprisonment for life rather than give up the child, and her acquaintances say that she is a woman of her word.

Of Governor Briggs, of Massachusetts, it is remembered that for several years before his death he never wore a collar, appearing thus unadorned at his levees and on all public occasions. Few men knew the strange reason for this. He had a neighbor whom he liked exceedingly and who was on the way to become a confirmed drunkard. With this man the Governor remonstrated warmly, until at last the listener answered: "I will never drink again if you will never again wear a collar." "Agreed," said the Governor. Each kept his word; the man was saved, and the Governor paid no manner of attention to the sometimes sharp criticism upon his apparent carelessness in his dress.

"A Scotchman" sends some remarkable information to the *London Globe*. He says, upon the strength of a private letter which had been placed in his possession, that the Russian authorities have a plan of destroying the English ships by the use of 1,000 tons of crude retroleum. This is to be allowed to float on the surface of the water, so as to be carried down with the current at the time when the English ironclads are midway in the Straits. The oil being then ignited, the whole length and breadth of the Bosphorus Narrows would be converted into a sea of fire, destroying the crews, and leaving the ironclads to be captured at leisure. The Russians can always rely upon abundant and rapid supplies of crude petroleum, the wells in Roumania and the Caucasus being inexhaustible. The whole expenditure would amount to only about $30,000. Such is the plan which the "Scotchman" professes to have discovered.

When Mr. Anthony Trollope was a very young man he applied for advice to a distinguished person and asked how he might best "succeed in literature." The reply was characteristic: "Fix yourself to your chair with a bid of cobbler's wax!"—in other words, "stick to work." The advice so given was earnestly taken. From that time to this Mr. Trollope has done his regular quantum of work daily. His minimum is so many thousand words, and no matter where he is—in England or in the antipodes, on land or shipboard, in house or tent—the minimum is reached. But hard work and no play would make Anthony a dull boy, and Mr. Trollope is never dull. His writing is always done before luncheon; his afternoons and evening are entirely free. A sportsman as well as a novelist, he loves to gallop across country, and greatly enjoys all outdoor sports and indoor games. Curiously enough he can't read novels, and prefers the dryest work on statistics to the fiction of the circulating library. Mr. Trollope does not believe in inspiration. He maintains that the brain is a machine, which can be made to perform its work systematically, and at all seasons, provided proper attention is paid to bodily health.


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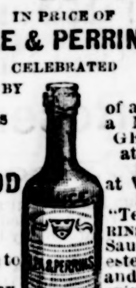

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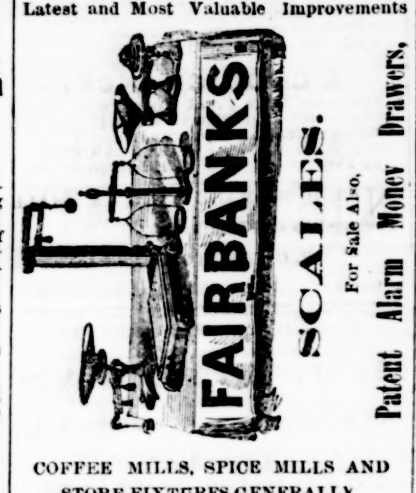


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RICHARD C. BADGER,
A. M. LEWIS,
ROBERT B. ANDREWS,
JOHN A. CHEATHAM.

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**Notice.**

The North Carolina Medical Board of Examiners will meet in Goldsboro, Tuesday 14th May, 1878, and continue in session till the business for which it convened shall have been finished. Applicants will please present themselves as early as possible.

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# DAILY NEWS

SUNDAY..................APRIL 2[illegible]. 1878.


## The City.

### The Mails.

The mails now close as follows:

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| Raleigh & Gaston | 10:00 a. m. |
| Western | 12:05 p. m. |
| Eastern | 3:10 p. m. |
| Chatham | 9:00 p. m. |

The office opens for delivery of the mail, as follows:

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| Chatham | 8:00 a. m. |
| Eastern | 1:30 p. m. |
| Western | 4:30 p. m. |
| Raleigh & Gaston | 6:00 p. m. |

Two Northern mails daily, closing at 10 a. m. and 3:10 p. m.

Sundays open from 4 to 5 p. m.

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### Weather Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—For the South Atlantic States, rising barometer: cooler northwest winds, clear weather will preva l.

### Index to New Advertisements.

A. CREECH.—Local notice.
J. C. BREWSTER—Local notice.
JULIUS LEWIS—Local notice.
GEO. ZEIGLER—Cigars and Tobacco.
HARDIN, GRIMES & CO—Tongues, &c.
T. H. BRIGGS & SONS—Hardware.
J. L. STONE—Local notice.
NATIONAL SURGICAL INSTITUTE—Local notice.

### CHURCH DIRECTORY.

CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD.—Rev. E. R. Rich, rector. Morning Prayer—sermon and Holy Communion at 11 o'clock. Seats all free, and every one cordially invited.

PERSON STREET M. E. CHURCH.—Services at 11 A. M., and at 7:30 P. M., by Rev W. C. Norman, Pastor. Sunday School at 9 A. M. Seats all free and all are invited to attend.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Services at 11 A. M. by Rev. W. R. Atkinson, and 4:30 P. M. at the chapel of the Deaf and Dumb Institution, by Rev. C. H. Wiley.

CHRIST CHURCH.—Services on Sundays in the Church at 11 o clock A. M., and 5 o'clock P. M. Other services in the Chapel as follows: Mondays at 7:30 A. M.; Evening at 5:30 P. M. Tuesdays " " Wednesdays at 7:30 A. M.; Litany at 12 M. Thursdays " " Even'g at 5:30 P. M. Fridays " " Litany at 12 M. Saturdays " " Even'g at 5:30 P. M.

EDENTON STREET M. E. CHURCH.—Services at 11 A. M., by Rev. C. H. Wiley. Seats free; all are invited to attend. Sunday School at 9 o'clock, A. M.

SWAIN STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.—Services at 11 A. M, and 8 P. M., by the Rev W. R. Gwaltney. Sunday School at 9 A. M.

SALISBURY STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.—Services at 11 o'clock a. m., by the Rev. T. H. Pritchard and at 7 P, M. by Rev. J. B. Hartwell.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Services to-day at 11 A. M. by Rev. C. K. Vaughan, D. D., and at 7 P. M. Sunday School at 9½ A. M.

ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH.—Briggs Hall, entrance on Fayetteville St.—First Mass at 7 o'clock A. M. High Mass and sermon at 11 o'clock A. M. Vespers and benediction at 5 o'clock P. M. Strangers are cordially invited to all the services. Seats free.

### LOCAL BRIEFS.

——The telephone fever is spreading. Every town has it bad.

——The Concord *Sun* has a chromo of Judge Cloud on its first page.

——Farming operations are progressing favorably all over the State.

——Spelling bees are the latest in Charlotte. We use to have them here.

——Interesting letters from Wilson and Goldsboro, will appear on Tuesday morning.

—— Col. Ed. Cantwell of Wilmington, will deliver the Memorial address at Statesville on May 10th.

——The ring of the scythe is now heard in the capitol square. Col. Turner is having the grasses and clover cut.

——We acknowledge an invitation to attend a Dime Party to be given at Franklin by the ladies, for the benefit of their Methodist church.

——Parties have already commenced to bring actions for debts contracted prior to 1868. Justice Magnin has issued several judgments in such cases.

——A Western Carolina town puts up as a curiosity a citizen whose birth days recur only once in four years, he having been borned on Feb. 29th.

——Eddie, a young son of Mr. James H. Enniss, while wrestling with a juvenile comrade on Friday, had the misfortune to break his arm. Dr. P. E. Hines was called in, and soon set things to rights.

——Hon. Kemp P. Battle, President of the State University, will deliver a lecture in Asheville, on Wednesday, the 8th of May, on the relation of the University to farmers of North Carolina and the advantages this institution affords to the farming interest of the State.

——Capt. Chas. H. Thomas, formerly of this city, but who last year assisted Dr. Howerton in the management of the Warm Springs, has made arrangements to take charge for the summer season of the Mineral Springs, in Tennessee, located some ten miles from Morristown.

### An Accident.

A few days since an accident occurred whereby Capt. Geo. Crowder, who lives about eight miles southeast of the city, had both his arms broken. He had been to Pool's mill for some fish, and was returning with several bunches of these. He was riding a mule, and one of the bunches slipping from his grasp, he endeavored to catch it, when the animal became alarmed and suddenly shied. Capt. Crowder was thrown to the ground, but put out his hands to break the fall, but it was so sudden that both arms were broken. He was carried home and his injuries received proper attention. He is now in a fair way to soon recover the use of his arms.

### Auburn Notes.

This little village is improving rapidly. Mr. William Watts, formerly a subject of Queen Victoria, has just completed a store, and moved into quite a handsome residence, recently finished. The farmers in that section have about finished cotton planting.

The people say they need a depot. Some time since the erection of a private one was contemplated, but the work was never begun.

### Street Improvements.

Some work has just been completed at the corner of Hargett and Lenoir Streets, also at intersection of McDowell and Polk, near the D. D. & B. Asylum. At both these points substantial stone culverts have been built.

Some crossings have been placed at the intersection of Fayetteville and Lenoir, and Jones and East Streets.

### Attempt at Burglary.

Last week an attempt was made to break into the store of Mr. S. J. Watts, at Auburn, in this county. Mr Watts was absent, but his wife heard the noise of the entering thieves and immediately showed the burglars that she was mistress of the situation. They fled hastily without effecting an entrance, or doing any damage.

### Cotton Receipts.

The receipts of cotton yesterday were 99 bales. The total for the week was 313 bales. The market was quite.

### State Guard News.

The following order has been issued from General Headquarters:

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
OFFICE ADJUTANT GENERAL,
Raleigh, N. C., April 23, 1878.

GENERAL ORDERS,
No. 23.

WHEREAS, The act for the establishment of State Guard, laws of 1876–'77, chapter 272, section 21, requires the State Guard to parade one day annually, in May, by company, battalion, or regiment.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED, That the white troops parade, each year, by company, battalion, or regiment, as directed by the Brigadier General of their respective districts, on the 20th day of May, and the colored troops on the 27th day of May until further orders from the Commander-in-Chief. Should the day so fixed fall upon Sundays, then the parades will take place on the Mondays following.

Company commanders will promptly forward; through regimental and brigade headquarters, to this office, special reports of the parades above ordered, stating particularly the number of officers, non-commissioned officers and privates who appear in uniform.

By order of the Commander-in-Chief.
JOHNSTONE JONES,
Adjutant-General.

John M. Roberts, of New Berne, has been appointed an Aide-decamp to the Adjutant General, with the rank of Captain.

The officers of the Winston Light Infantry have been commissioned.

The interest in military matters is on the increase all over the State.

It is probable that two or more companies will participate in the celebration of the 20th of may at Charlotte,

### Movements of Cotton in Raleigh

| | Bales. |
|---|---|
| Receipts for week ending April 19th, 1878, | 170 |
| Receipts for same week last year, | 403 |
| Decrease in receipts for week this year, | 233 |
| Receipts for week ending April 26th, 1878, | 313 |
| Receipts for same week last year, | 548 |
| Decrease in receipts for week this year, | 235 |
| Whole receipts from 1st September to date, | 42,352 |
| Whole receipts same time last year, | 41,012 |
| Increase in receipts this year to date, | 1,340 |

We give above comparative receipts in our market for the past two weeks, from which it will be seen that our receipts are now falling off, and this will probably be the case for several weeks yet as our receipts last year, for April and May, were unusually large. Our market continues with good demand for all offering. We quote Middling at 9¾ cts.

### The South Atlantic.

Brim full of good articles, both in prose and verse the May number of this sterling periodical comes to us It gains in merit at each issue, and the sterling ability of its writers as well as the energy of its editor, are apparent. It deserves all encouragement at the hands of our people. The articles that grace the present number are admirable. Among them we notice "The Cloudlands of Carolina," "Monsieur Fanfaron," "The University of Virginia." The beautiful "Memorial Psalm," for the 10th of May, by Mrs. Margaret J. Preston appeals to our hearts by the touching beauty of its sentiments. "Hampton's campaign in South Carolina," and "A Baptism of Fire," are both continued. The number will be found to be both pleasant and profitable to all persons.

### An Arrest on Suspicion.

Bryan Locust, colored, was arrested at Holly Springs, on suspicion of being one John Young *alias* John Taylor, who stands charged with the murder of one Boone, a negro, in Sampson county on the 4th of April. The suspected man was brought in yesterday by his captors. The investigation of the case was before Justice Magnin. The evidence produced, as well as the explanations of Locust, conclusively proved his entire innocence in the matter. It was with him a regular case of that "fellow that looked like me," for his appearance was almost exactly with the description of that of the real culprit. He was discharged from custody at the conclusion of the investigation.

### Revenue Collections.

The following were the collections made at the office of the Collector of Internal Revenue, during the past week:

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|---|---|
| Monday, | $ 7,752.81; |
| Tuesday, | 710.94; |
| Wednesday, | 699.40; |
| Thursday, | 2,946.67; |
| Friday, | 362.26; |
| Saturday, | 6,055.05; |
| Total, | 18,526.13. |

Messrs. Cameron, Hay & Co., General Fire Insurance Agents, have paid the following losses within the last few days:

For the Seaboard Insurance Company, of Norfolk Va., $1,300 to Frank Fountain, Laurinburg, N. C., $1,000 to McKay & Bro., of Laurinburg, N. C., $300 to McKay & Bro., Laurinburg, N. C.

For the Farmville Insurance Company, of Farmville, Va., $883.33 to Mrs. Maria A. Heath, of Smithfield, N. C.

### Another Driver Case.

At the late term of Buncombe Superior Court, Judge Cloud sentenced Simpson Petty, colored, to two years confinement in jail for whipping his wife. An appeal was taken to the Supreme Court on the plea of "excessive punishment."

### Gun-Powder, Blasting-Powder.

As sole agents for the Loflem & Rand Powder Co's celebrated Orange Powder. We are prepared to to fill orders from one keg to three hundred. Our powder is stored outside the city limits in a dry magazine, at mill prices. Julius Lewis & Co., Raleigh, N. C. Write for prices.

### Monument to Jugde Pearson.

There will be a meeting of the students of the late Chief Justice Pearson, resident in Raleigh, at the Court House at 5 p. m., to-morrow, (Monday.) The object of the meeting is to initiate steps for the erection of a monument to his memory.

### The City Finances.

According to law, a statement of the receipts and disbursements of the city finances for the year ending April 20th, 1878, is posted at the Court House. The receipts exceed the disbursements by about $7,000. There have been out in the past two years about $9,000, extraordinary expenses.

### Religious Notes.

A number of people will go from our city to-day to attend the dedicatory exercises at Samaria Church, lately completed. It is situated about three miles from the city. Many persons from the country round about will also be present.

Rev. J. M. Atkinson, D.D., pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, being absent at the meeting of Orange Presbytery at Newbern, his pulpit will be filled at 11 a. m., to-day by Rev. W. R. Atkinson, of the Peace Institute, and at 4:30 p. m., by Rev. C. H. Wiley.

At the Salisbury Street Baptist Church the pastor will preach in the morning, while the Rev. J. B. Hartwell will discourse in the evening.

Rev. J. William Jones, D.D., of Richmond, the biographer of General Lee, lectured in Greenville, S. C., two evenings last week. His themes were "The Boys in Grey; or, the Confederate Soldier as I Knew Him," and "Stonewall Jackson, the Christian Soldier." These lectures are exceedingly interesting. It is hoped that Dr. Jones may be induced to stop in our city on his way homeward, and deliver them.

There will be no evening services at the Church of the Good Shepherd this evening.

Rev. W. S. Black, of the Edenton Street M. E. Church, being absent at Atlanta, the morning services in that Church will be conducted by Rev. C. H. Wiley.

### St. Mary's School.

A musical recitation was given by the young ladies of this institute last evening, under the direction of Mr. Will. H. Sanborn. The repertoire consisted of 14 vocal and instrumental selections. These were rendered in a style both forceful and pleasing, by the participants. Among the effective pieces were the opening "Marche Triomphale," 2 pianos, the "Milk Maid's Song." The first instrumental selection of Part II., was given in a pleasing manner, as was also the third selection of the same part. The affair was very enjoyable, and the number of those present just sufficient to render it more agreeable. The handsome parlors were brilliantly lighted, and presented a beautiful appearance during the exercises. The entire programme was properly appreciated.

### Rocks and Bullets.

About 8:30 last evening, as Mr. Joe DeCarteret was passing down Fayetteville street, a rock was thrown at him, just as he was near Cabarrus street. As soon as he heard the noise of the stone he pulled his pistol and he fired a shot into a group of persons near by from one of whom he thought the missile came. The bullet struck Robert Dobbin, Jr., The shooter and others were promptly brought before the Mayor, but the investigation of the affair was postponed until Monday.

### Personals.

Ex-Gov. Brogden, House of Representatives, Washington City, is convalescing from the attack of malarial fever, and will soon occupy his vacant seat.

Mr. E. M. Yarbrough, a nephew of Wm. R. Pool, Esq., of our county, leaves for Texas this week, and will make that State his home.

### Telephonic.

There will be a telephonic demonstration between this city and Wilmington to-day, from eleven a. m., to half past two p. m. for gentlemen, and from half past two p. m., to half past four p. m. for ladies exclusively, provided the "phones" are in a condition to work. This is the opportunity which manager Starke some time since promised the ladies he would give them of examining the working of the instruments.

### Mayor's Court.

His Honor passed sentenced upon one Mattie Hester, colored, charged with disorderly conduct. She was fined $5 and costs.

Dick Crockett, colored, appeared on the same charge. Crockett was discharged.

### Cigars and Smokers' Materials.

Mr. Geo. Ziegler advertises in another column that he has a full line of the above goods. Try him.

### Good Morning.

The latest news by Telephone, the great American through line, no time to stop at way stations. New goods received at A. Creech's by every train. I am now receiving my Spring Stock bought within the last ten days in a depressed market after the rush of business was over and goods had fallen. In fact, I bought them at hard pan and panic prices, and can safely say that never in the history of the dry goods business have I been better prepared to sell goods so uniformly cheap. And so as to give my customers a bird's eye view, I will quote a few prices: 50,000 yards new and handsome spring prints, from 5 to 7 cents, 10,000 yards new and handsome printed Union Lawns, at 10 cents, worth 15 cents; 10,000 yards printed Corded Lawns, at 10 cents, cheap at 15 cents; 5,000 yards Solid French Grenadine at 7½ cents, cost 20 cents to import; 5,000 yards Poplin Lustres, new and handsome Shades, at 15 cents, worth 25 cents. New and handsome styles of finer Dress Goods at correspondingly low prices. 3 yards White Corded Pique for 30 cents, and one yard thrown in extra; 3 pair White Hose for 25 cents, and one pair thrown in extra; Ladies Embroidered Collars at 5 cents each, ought to bring 15 cents; plain Collars, 3 for 10 cents, and one thrown in extra; Ladies Cloth Gaiters, to arrive in a few days, at 50 cents. These prices ought to unwrap the string from around the panic stricken purses, and come to Creech's.

A. CREECH.

### National Surgical Institute.

Two of the Surgeons of this notable Institute will visit Raleigh, N. C., April 30th and May 1st and 2nd, 1878, stopping at the Yarbrough House. They will have with them a fine outfit of braces and surgical appliances, and will be prepared to treat all kinds of Deformities and Chronic Diseases, such as Club Feet, Hip Disease, Spinal Disease, Paralysis, Piles and Fistula, Catarrh, Private Diseases, Diseases of the Eye, &c. For full particulars, address NATIONAL SURGICAL INSTITUTE, Atlanta, Ga.

### Something New in the Sewing Machine Line.

Mr. J. L. Stone, General Agent for "Light Running" New Home Sewing Machine, invites the ladies to call at his warerooms on Fayetteville Street. He has sold several of the above named machines in our place, and can give any reference that is desired.

### Fly Fans.

Mr. J. C. Brewster has just received a large supply of Fly Fans. Every one warranted an indispensible article for the dining room and sick chamber. No family should be without a fan. *Will be sold on trial.*

### Get the Best.

The surest way to do this is to become a subscriber to the Raleigh News leading paper of the State, which only costs $5 per annum for the Daily and $1 for the Weekly.

### J. P. Gulley Offers

new style silk veiling at 65c., worth $1 25; ladies 2 button kid gloves at 50 cts.; great novelties in corsets at prices from 35 cts. to $2 00; Dr. Warner's health corsets at 50 cts. to $2.00. Especial attention is called to the grass corset at $1.50, for comfort. Straw matting at 20 and 25 cts.; also a nice line of dress goods, piques, &c., at bottom prices. I also call especial attention to the fact that I have the best ladies morocco shoe for $2.00 in the market, equal to Miles' or Ziegler's. Call and see his goods and examine prices. tf*

### Hardware.

Stoves, tin ware and house-furnishing goods, the most complete stock in the city. A full stock of paints, oils, varnish, window glass and putty. Just received, a lot of the celebrated Howe's scales, which will be sold cheap, and warranted correct. J. C. Brewster, Holleman Building.

### Sale.

The "Green Front" Saloon, on Hargett Street, now occupied by Doran and Overby, will be sold with all its fixtures, stock on hand, &c., on Tuesday next, the 30th instant. Terms cash.

### Mothers, Mothers, Mothers.

Don't fail to procure Mrs. Winslow's Soothing syrup for all diseases of teething in children. It relieves the child from pain, cures wind colic, regulates the bowels, and, by giving relief and health to the child, gives rest to the mother.
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## COMMERCIAL REPORTS.

### RALEIGH MARKETS.

COTTON MARKET:

Reported by KELLY, PUREFOY & BREWER Official Reporters for the Board of Trade.
RALEIGH, N. C., April 27, 1878.

| | |
|---|---|
| Middling, | 9¾ |
| Strict Low Middling, | 9½ |
| Low Middling, | 9 |
| Strict Good Ordinary, | ½ |
| Good Ordinary, | 8 |
| Ordinary, | 7¾ |
| Middling Stai s, | 8½ |
| Low Middling stains, | 8½ |
| Good Ordinary Stains, | 7½@7¾ |

Tone of Market—Quiet.

REPORTED BY R. F. JONES & CO
CITY MARKET—WHOLESALE CASH PRICES.
RALEIGH, N. C., April 27, 1878.

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|---|---|
| COTTON TIES, new, | 4½ |
| " spliced | 3½ |
| BAGGING, | 12 @ 13 |
| FLOUR, North Carolina, | $6.00 @6.75 |
| CORN, | 65 @ 70 |
| CORN MEAL | 65 @ 70 |
| BACON, N. C. Hog, round | 9 @ |
| " hams | 10@11 |
| BULK MEAT, Clear Rib Sides | 6 @6½ |
| " shoulders | 5 |
| NORTH CAROLINA, Pork | 6 @ 7 |
| LARD, North Carolina | 10 |
| " Western | 9 |
| COFFEE, prime, Rio, | 19 |
| " good, | 17 |
| " common, | 16 |
| SYRUP, S. H., | 28@30 |
| MOLASSES, Cuba, | 35 @ 40 |
| SALT, Liverpool fine, | $1.70 |
| SUGAR, white, | 10 @10½ |
| " yellow, | 8½ @ 9½ |
| LEATHER, Red Sole, | 25 @ 35 |
| " tanned, | 40 |
| HIDES, green, | 4 @ 5½ |
| " dry, | 10 @ 11 |
| TALLOW, | 7 |
| POTATOES, sweet, per bush., | 30 @35 |
| " Irish, | $1.00 @1.50 |
| OATS, shelled, | 45 @ 55 |

### Richmond, Va. Tobacco Market

Reported and Corrected daily by Telegraph, By HILL, SKINKER & WATKINS, Commission Merchants.

NEW BRIGHTS.
RICHMOND, VA., April 25.

| | |
|---|---|
| Fillers—Common to Medium (Leaf) | 4½ @ 7 |
| " Good to Very Good | 7½ @ 10 |
| " Fine, | 11@12½ |
| Wrappers—Common | 12 @ 15 |
| " Medium | 18 @ 25 |
| " Good to Very Good | 30 @ 40 |
| " Fine and Fancy as to Color, size, uniformity etc., | 45, 50, 55, 60 and 65 |
| " Very Good to Fine Mahogany | 35 @ 45 |
| Smokers—Common to Medium | 5 @ 8 |
| " Good to Very Good | 9 @12½ |
| " Fine to Fancy | 13 @18 |
| " Fine, Fancy and Leaf suited for Cutting, | 15 @ 20 |

Breaks to-day 16 h'hds 21 tc. and 4 boxes. Offerings on change at Auction 54 pk'gs, of which thirty-two where sold at prices ranging from $1.00 to $60 per hundred. More enquiry for strictly white fancy wrappers, all other grades very much neglected, even at low prices.

### Durham Tobacco Market.

Reported by H. A. REAMS, PROPRIETOR OF REAMS' WAREHOUSE
DURHAM, N. C., April 19, 1878.

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|---|---|
| LUGS.—Dark | 2@3 |
| " Red, | 3@4 |
| BRIGHT LUGS—Common, | 5@6 |
| " Medium, | 7@9 |
| " Good, | 10@11 |
| " Fancy, | 16@20 |
| RED LEAF—Common Dark, | 3@4 |
| " Good, | 4@5 |
| " Fine, none on the market | |
| " Extra Fine, none on the market | |
| BRIGHT WRAPPERS—Common, | 8@12 |
| " Medium, | 16@25 |
| " Fine, | 3 @ 0 |
| " Extra, | 55@65 |

Breaks light for past week, prices firm on bright wrappers and demand good. Special demand for fine wrappers, while common grades remain dull. Good bright fillers sell well.

### Winston Tobacco Market.

Reported by A. B. GORRELL, Dealer in Leaf Tobacco.
WINSTON, N. C., April 17, 1878.

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|---|---|
| LUGS—Dark, | $ 1.50@ 2.50 |
| " Red, | 2.50@ 3.50 |
| BRIGHT LUGS—Common, | 3.50 @ 5.50 |
| " " Good, | 6.00@ 8.50 |
| " " Fancy, | 10.00@ 18.00 |
| RED LEAF—Common, | 3.50@ 5.00 |
| " " Good, | 6.00@ 8.00 |
| " " Fine, | 9.00@ 12.00 |
| BRIGHT WRAPPERS—Common, | 12.50@15.00 |
| " " Medium, | 16.00@20.00 |
| " " Fine, | 22.50@35.00 |
| " " Extra, | 40.00@60.00 |
| Mahogany Fine, | 20.00@45.00 |

as per quality.

Breaks have been quite full for the past week. All tobacco of character—very scarce and feely taken at above quotations, while common and medium nondescript are very plentiful and a shade lower.

### MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NOON.

LONDON, April 27.
Consols 94 15-16. Erie 12½.

PARIS, April 27.
Rentes 109f and 37½c.

BERLIN, April 27.
Specie increase 1,100,000 marks.

LIVERPOOL, April 27.
Cotton dull and easier; middling uplands 5¾; middling Orleans 6⅛; sales 5,000; speculation and exports 5,000; receipts 15,500; American 7,800. Futures 1-32 cheaper; uplands low middling clause, April delivery 5 13-16; May and June 5 27-32; June and July 5⅞; July and August 5 29-32; August and September 5 31-32; September and October 6; October and November 6; shipped April and May sail 5 15-16; sales for the week 26,000; speculation 1,000; exports 2,000; stock 862,000; American 640,000; receipts 129,000; American 97,000; actual exports 4,000; afloat 313,000; American 222,000.

2:30 p. m.—Uplands low middling clause, shipped March sail 5 31-32; March and April sail 5 15-16; May and June 5 15-16.

4:15 p. m.—Cotton; sales American 6,000; uplands low middling clause, new crop shipped November and December sail 5 15-16.

NEW YORK, April 27.
Gold opened at ½. Stocks about firm. Money 6. Gold 10¼@10⅜. Exchange long 4.86½; short 4.89. State bonds steady. Governments firm. Cotton dull; sales 521; uplands 10⅞; Orleans 10⅞. Futures quiet; May 10.89@10.91; June 10.97@10.99; July 11.04@11.06; August 11.07@11.09; September 10.75@10.77. Flour firmer and without decided change. Wheat ½@1 cent better. Corn ¼@½ cent better. Pork heavy at 9.65@9.90. Lard dull; steam 7.22@7.25. Spirits turpentine dull at 29½@30. Rosin quiet at 1.50@1.55 for strained. Freights steady.

BALTIMORE, April 27.
Flour, good inquiry and steady; Howard street and Western superfine 4.00@4.50; extra superfine 4.75@5.25; family 5.50@6.50; city mills super 4.25@4.75; extra 5.25@5.75; Rio brands 6.75@7.00; Patapsco family 7.75. Southern Wheat firm and in good demand; Western firmer; Southern red 1.25@1.37; amber 1.36@1.37; Pennsylvania red 1.33@1.36; No. 2 Western winter red spot and April 1.33; May 1.33½@1.33⅞. Southern Corn quiet and steady; Western ½ cent higher; Southern white 53@54; yellow 53.

NIGHT.

NEW YORK, April 27.
Money easy at 3@4. Sterling quiet at 6½. Gold steady at ⅜. Governments active. States quiet. New fives 5½. Cotton dull; uplands 10⅞; Orleans 10⅞; sales 523; consolidated net receipts 5,519; exports to Great Britain 7,879; continent 790; net receipts 532; gross receipts 532. Futures closed weak; sales 1,600; April delivery 10.89@10.92; May 10.91@10.92; June 10.98@99; July 11.05@11.06; August 11.09; September 10.77@10.79; October 10.57@10.59; November 10.47@10.49; December 10.48@10.50; January 10.56@10.58; February 10.66@10.70.

NORFOLK, April 27.
Cotton dull; middling 10½; net receipts 335; gross receipts blank; sales 865; exports coastwise 254.

BOSTON, April 27.
Cotton dull; middling 10⅞; net receipts 162; gross receipts 642.

BALTIMORE, April 27.
Cotton dull; middling 10½; gross receipts 384; sales 185; exports to Great Britain 1,395; exports coastwise 75; sales to spinners 40.

Oats firmer; Southern 33@35. Rye dull and unchanged. Provisions dull and unchanged. Coffee dull; cargoes 13½@17. Whisky steady at 6@6½. Sugar quiet and unchanged. Freights quiet.

WILMINGTON, April 27.
Cotton unchanged; middling 9⅞; net receipts 11; exports coastwise 258. Spirits turpentine steady at 26½. Rosin dull at 1.25 for strained. Crude turpentine steady at 1.00 for hard; 1.75 for yellow dip; and 1.75@2.00 for virgin. Tar firm at 1.40.

PHILADELPHIA, April 27.
Cotton quiet; middling 10⅞; gross receipts 477; sales 460; sales to spinners 363; exports to Great Britain 295; exports coastwise 79.

SAVANNAH, April 27.
Cotton easier; middling 9⅞; net receipts 316; sales 88.

NEW ORLEANS, April 27.
Cotton steady; middling 10¼; low middling 9½; good ordinary 8½; net receipts 2,625; gross receipts 3,718; sales 3,800; exports to Great Britain 6,261; exports continent 780.

MEMPHIS, April 27.
Cotton firm; middling 10; receipts 729; shipments 1,283; sales 1,600.

AUGUSTA, April 27.
Cotton quiet; middling 9½@10; receipts 51; shipments blank; sales 58.

CHARLESTON, April 27.
Cotton quiet; middling 10¼@10⅜; net receipts 278; sales 200; exports to Great Britain 20; continent 10.

### BUSINESS NOTICES.

The largest and most complete stock of fishing tackle in the State is at Lumsden's. Merchants supplied at low figures. Lumsden also keeps a full stock of brown stone ware, crockery, lamps, tin ware, fluting machines, fountain pumps, table and pocket cutlery, nails, hoes, rakes, shovels, coffee roasters, gem oil stoves, tin chamber setts, and everything you wish to furnish your house with, is at Lumsden's *

The best Calico can be bought at Woollcott's open Front Store for 5 and 6 cents a yard, and he will sell you a good pair of Kid Gloves for 50 cents. *

Wanted—every one to be free from Pimples, Blotches, Boils, etc., which can be done by purifying the blood with Dr. Bull's Blood Mixture. Used everywhere. *

Travellers will find the Grand Central Hotel, New York, is one of the most excellent hotels in that city. Those who cannot be suited in price and accommodations there must be very hard to please indeed. *

Conveniently near the prominent business houses, all places of public interest and resort, and in the very heart of the best resident portion of the city, for good living, good treatment, and quiet comfort, the Colonnade Hotel, on Chesnut Street, Philadelphia, can be conscientiously recommended. *

### To the Southern friends of the New York Hotel, "New York."

This delightful Hotel, is still kept by a Cranston, and is in all its present appointments equal to its great reputation. The prices are as low, if not lower, than any other first class hotel in New York. Mr. James H. Cranston, nephew of the late Hiram Cranston, will have great pleasure in welcoming his Southern friends back to to their old home in New York again. *

### Alternately Shaken

And Scorched by the paroxysms of chills and fever, the wretched sufferer for whom quinine has been prescribed essays in vain to exterminate the dreadful disease with that hurtful palliative, which at best only mitigates the violence of the fits, and eventually proves highly injurious to the system. In order to effect a thorough cure of malarial fever, whether intermittent or remittent, or to render the system impregnable to its attacks. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters should be used daily. That this medicine is a searching eradicant of diseases generated by miasma, and a reliable safeguard against them, is a fact so widely recognized in this and other countries that to adduce evidence in support of it is unnecessary; but were it either essential or desirable to do so, it may well be supposed that from the testimony corroborative of its claims, which has been accumulating during the last twenty-five years and over, sufficient proofs might be gathered to convince the most inveterate skeptic.
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### A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a receipt that will cure you, free of charge. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. JOSEPH T. INMAN, Station D, Bible House, New York City.
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### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

☞ Advertise in a paper of universal circulation, a paper which maintains right principles in all things; a paper acceptable alike to good men of all parties; and such a paper the NEWS is conceded to be by all men whose opinion is worth having.

## Tongues, &c.

### Just Received.

An extra choice lot of Beef Tongues;
Best George's Bank Boneless Codfish;
New Butter, choice New York State;
Selected Oranges and Lemons.

TO ARRIVE THIS WEEK,
N. C. Roe Herring, extra fish, packed expressly to our own order.

HARDIN, GRIMES & CO.
ap 28-tf

## Geo. Zeigler,

Manufacturer of Cigars and Dealer in Smoking and Chewing Tobacco, Pipes, &c. Always keeps on hand a good assortment of fine cigars and smokers rticles, in fact everything kept in a first class Cigar Store. The best 5c. cigars in the city. Factory and Store 1 door north of the Yarborough, Raleigh, N. C.
ap 28-dlm GEO. ZEIGLER.

### DRY GOODS.

## READ! READ!! READ!!!

### The Great Attraction At

## L. Rosenthal's.

### Just Received.

Mens' Blue Flannel Suits, from $7 up to $14: the latter are warranted made of the best Yacht Cloth, handsomely bound and will not fade.

Mens' Cheviot Suits, a new design of the latest Spring Style, at $15.00 per Suit, guaranteed a good fit and to wear well

Men's Black Cloth Suits at all prices and to suit the present depressed times.

A beautiful assortment of white and colored Marseilles Vests, prices ranging from $1.25 up to $4 00.

Men's Russian Alpaca Coats at 75c.; fine Black Alpaca Coats at $1 50.

A complete line of Men's Ganze Shirts from 25c up. Also, White and Percale Shirts.

A handsome assortment of Mackinaw. Canton and Straw Hats Also, Fur and Wool Hats at bottom prices.

Men's fine Congress, Oxford and Prince Albert Gaiters, hand as well as machine sewed at prices very much reduced.

Boy's Suits from $1.25 up.

A full assortment of Ladies' Cloth, Foxed, and Morocco Shoes. Also, for Misses and Children, just received and to be sold at prices that shall meet the wishes of the customers.

Ladies' Slippers at 35c. up—Parasols 15c. or 2 for 25c. and up. Japanese Folding Fans at 5c.

Percales at 10c. and all other goods in the Dry Goods Department to be offered low accordingly.

A large assortment of white and fancy Straw Mattings.

The public is respectfully solicited to call at either my 3 stores, Nos. 10 and 14, Fayetteville Street, and Exchange Place, where goods will be sold lower than ever. Having no store rent to pay and having no partner to share the profits with, and at last but not least buying all my goods for Cash only, I feel confident in my above assertion.
ap 27-3m

### A GOOD CHANCE.

One nice large Front Room, with board suitable for a gentleman and wife, or two single gentlemen. Apply at the
WALLER HOUSE,
Hillsboro Street.
ap 23-6t

NICE HOME-MADE LARD IN SMALL Packages to suit Families at
F. C. CHRISTOPHERS & CO'S.,
feb 24-tf Meat Market, Hargett St

### COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

## J. J. THOMAS

No. 8 Martin Street, Raleigh, N. C.,

GENERAL
Commission Merchant.

WILL RECEIVE, SELL, OR STORE, AND ADVANCE ON COTTON. Low rate of interest and storage charges. Refers to Citizens' National Bank Raleigh, N. C
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### To the Farmer and Merchant.

I solicit your shipments of Grain, Forage, Flour, Bran, Meal, Butter, Eggs, Chickens and Cotton. The highest market prices guaranteed and prompt returns made.

COTTON A SPECIALTY.

W. C. McMACKIN.
ap 25 tf

### Telephones to Suit Your Money.

50 Sacks Family Flour,
300 Bus. Peas,
1 Car N. C. Hay and
1 Car N. C. Fodder, just received on consignment.
ap 25 tf W. C. McMACKIN.

### HOTELS.

## Wm. Bonitz's NEW HOTEL

GOLDSBORO, N. C.

Board per day $2.00. Meals 50 cents. Lodging 50 cts. Located in the Business Part of the City The table is supplied with all the German and American Delicacies.
Peter Gutberlet, Clerk; R. Prempert, Steward.
ap 5-tf

## The Central House,

PETERSBURG, VA.
CORNER OF SYCAMORE AND BANK STREETS.

LUCIUS GREEN, PROPRIETOR.

This hotel, which has now a full run of business, by the recent additions, is prepared to accommodate boarders and transient visitors in the best style and on accomodating terms. Convenient to the cars, and possessing all the requirements of a first-class hotel. He hopes to merit a continuance of favors.
jan 20-d3m

## EXCHANGE HOTEL,

### Green St., Market Square,

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

Board $2.00 Per Day. Special arrangements made by the week or month.
J. M MATTHEWS,
feb 10-d1m Proprietor.

JARRATT'S HOTEL
(Recently City Hotel,)
PETERSBURG, VIRGINIA,

has been thoroughly renovated and handsomely furnished.

Location central and convenient to business. The only hotel in the city lighted with gas. Omnibus Free.
BROWN & PETTIT,
apr 6-tf Proprietors.

## Manning House

CORNER MARKET AND SECOND STREETS,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
ED. WILSON MANNING, PROPRIETOR.
BOARD $2.50 AND $2.00 PER DAY.

Special rates made for a week or more to suit the times. Omnibus and porter at all trains.
sep 23dtf.

## PAGE'S HOTEL,
## SANFORD, N. C.
W. C. PAGE, Proprietor.

Breakfast on R. & A. R., going South, and Supper on trains going North.
First class fare.
feb 16-tf

STOP AT THE
## BOYDEN HOUSE
Salisbury, N. C.

C. S. BROWN,......................Proprietor.
[Late of the National Hotel, Raleigh.]
C. S. Brown, Jr., Chief Clerk; W. O. Shelburn, Assistant.
jan 7-3m

### Stop at The
## Briggs House,
## WILSON, N. C.
J. T. S. YOUNG, - - Prop
First-Class Accommodation.
nol3d3m

### FOR SALE, OR RENT.

## FOR RENT.

The two story frame building recently occupied by the late E. C. Woodson, pleasantly situated on the South-west corner of Fayetteville an Cabarrus Streets. Having a number of commodious and airy rooms; a large and beautiful lawn, comfortable outhouses, and with water in yard. This is a most desirable home.

For terms and further particulars apply to
J. J. THOMAS,
No. 8, Martin Street,
mr 6-tf Raleigh, N.C

### MERCHANT TAILOR.

## Fashion Bazaar.

## A BEAUTIFUL STOCK.

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Will offer a Magnificent stock of

SPRING
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At Astonishingly low Prices.

NOW IS THE TIME
To Secure
FIRST CLASS BARGAINS,
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The Goods are all First-Class and the Workmanship will be guaranteed.

REMEMBER, THESE BARGAINS CAN BE HAD—AND ONLY OF

WEIKEL.
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### BOOTS AND SHOES.

## Examine Our

80 ct. Gaiters,
HELLER BROS.
Examine our
$1 Ladies Kid Button Boots.
Examine our
50 ct. Slippers,
HELLER BROS.
Examine our
$1 Gaiters,
HELLER BROS.
Examine our
$1 50 Gents Gaiters,
HELLER BROS.
Examine our
$2 Gents Low Boxtoe Ties,
HELLER BROS.
Examine our
$1.75 Gents Lasting Prince Alberts,
HELLER BROS.
Examine our
$2 Ladies Kid Button Boots,
HELLER BROS.
Examine our fine quality hand
Sewed Gents Gaiters and
Prince Alberts,
Just opened,
HELLER BROS.
ap 21-tf

### VEGETINE.

## VEGETINE
FOR
## EPILEPSY.

BARABOO, May 15, 1877.

H. R. STEVENS:—

Dear Sir,—My husband has had Epilepsy for the past fifteen years. The past winter his blood seemed to be in a bad condition and seeing the good results from the use of Vegetine in others, felt anxious to try it. Has taken some six bottles, and the result has been, that he has had only ten fits in three months past; whereas, he was accustomed to having as many in two days at his worst, an effect that he did not expect. Am very anxious to have him continue the use some longer; and write you to ask you what terms, or what reduction you would make and send me one dozen bottles.

Very respectfully,
MRS. A. C. COLE,
Baraboo, Sauk Co., Wis.

Vegetine throughly eradicates every kind of humor, and restores the entire system to a healthy condition.

## Vegetine

ST. VINCENT SCHOOL, TROY, N. Y., Oct. 5, 1871.

DR. STEVENS:—

Dear Sir.—We are truly grateful for your generous donation of Vegetine received last evening. A lady has been using it here, with much benefit to herself. who, for years, has been pronounced "broken down," "worn out" &c. Frequently she was disturbed in her sleep by a violent nervous twitching of a foot, or the face, or the whole body. By taking this Vegetine, she is enabled to sleep quietly, and her general health seems much improved, though she has a complication of chronic diseases to contend with. May God bless you for your charity to the orphans.

Respectfully and gratefully,
SISTERS OF CHARITY.

HARASSING DREAMS.—An unnatural excitement of the brain and nervous system is the direct cause of sleeplessness, as also of harassing nocturnal dreams. Vegetine has a peculiarly soothing effect in all such cases, when taken just before going to bed.

## Vegetine

FOR ALL LADIES
Who are Sufferers.

CINCINNATI, O., March 28, 1877.

MR. STEVENS :—

Dear Sir,—I have taken several bottles of your Vegetine for Female Weakness, and in justice to the medicine, and to all ladies who are sufferers from such complaints, I will recommend the Vegetine. I must say it has helped me very much: indeed, it is invaluable for such complaints.

MARY E. MEREDITH,
160 Eastern Avenue.

FEMALE WEAKNESS.—Vegetine acts directly upon the causes of these complaints. It invigorates and strengthens the whole system, acts upon the secretive organs, allays inflammation, cleanses and cures ulceration, cures constipation, regulates the bowels; headache and pains in the back cease; in fact, there is no disease or complaint where the Vegetine gives so quick relief, and is so effective in its cure, as in what is termed Female Weakness. It has never failed in one instance.

## VEGETINE
### Druggists Recommend it.

SPRINGFIELD, O., Feb. 28, 1877.

Having for many years sold Vegetine manufactured by Mr. H. R. Stevens, Boston, Mass., I cheerfully recommend it to the afflicted generally.

Respectfully,
J. J. BROWN, Druggist,
No. 60 So. Limestone St.

## VEGETINE
Prepared by
H. R. STEVENS, Boston, Mass.

VEGETINE IS SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS
Apr 17-sw

### HAPPY RELIEF.

To all suffering from chronic diseases of all kinds. Confidential consultation invited personally or by mail. New means of treatment. New and reliable remedies. Books and circulars sent free in sealed envelopes. Address Howard Association, 419 N. Ninth St., Philadelphia, Pa., an institution having a high reputation for honorable conduct and professional skill.
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### FERTILIZERS.

## CELEBRATED
THE
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## GUANO.

ANALYSIS GUARANTEED.

The most reliable brand on the market. Has everywhere stood the test. Prices as low as any other standard Fertilizers.
feb 6 d&w3m A. C. SAUNDERS & CO.

### FANCY GROCERIES.

## W. C. & A. B. STRONACH

New Goods Every Day

CAKES AND CRACKERS,

Fresh Alphabet's and Autumn Leaves, Victoria's, Dessert's and Ginger Snaps.

FRUITS

Fresh London Layer Figs and Raisins,
Fresh Messina Lemons and Oranges,
Fresh Cocoanuts and Dates,
50 Cases
Fresh Canned Tomatoes and Peaches,
Cucumber Pickle and Chow Chow by the gallon.

Uncanvassed Sugar Cured Pig Hams 7—11lb
Southampton, Va., and Magnolia Hams
Smoked Broiling Beef, City Cuts 7—10lb
Thin Sugar Cured Breakfast Strips 2—4lb
California Boneless Ham's 2 to 4 lb. 15[illegible]

CHOICE FLOUR.

Fresh lot N. C. Family Flour. We warrant every sack of our N. C. Flour and if it does not give perfect satisfaction parties buying are at liberty to return.

### Teas and Coffees,

We again invite the attention of the public to our Stock of Teas and Green and Roasted Coffees.

We call especial attention to our stock of Fish, No. 1 new N. C. Trimmed Herrings at one cent a piece; No. 1 new N. C. Roe Herrings at two cents a piece; new early caught Family Mackerel one cent a piece.
ap 26-tf

### RAILROADS.

SCHEDULE OF TRAINS
To Take Effect Thursday, January 24th.

PETERSBURG RAILROAD COMPANY,
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT,
PETERSBURG, VA., January 24, 1878.

Going South.

| | |
|---|---|
| New York Express leave Petersburg daily at | 9:50 A. M. |
| Arrive at Weldon at | 12:25 P. M. |
| Southern Express leave Petersburg daily, except Monday, at | 12:35 A. M. |
| Arrive at Weldon at | 3:17 A. M. |
| Freight with Passenger Coach attached, leave Petersburg daily, except Sunday, at | 12:25 P. M. |
| Arrive at Weldon at | 6:10 P. M. |

Going North.

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| New York Express leave Weldon daily at | 3:30 P. M. |
| Arrive at Petersburg at | 6:12 P. M. |
| Southern Express leave Weldon daily, Monday's excepted, at | 2:37 A. M. |
| Arrive at Petersburg at | 6:15 A. M. |
| Freight, with Passenger Coach attached, leave Weldon daily, except Sunday, at | 7:00 P. M. |
| Arrive at Petersburg at | 12:25 A. M. |

First-class coaches and parlor cars will run through between Wilmington and New York on day trains, and sleeping cars on night trains. Sleeping car births can be had for one dollar from Richmond to Baltimore. No change of cars.

Through tickets sold to all Eastern and Southern points, and baggage checked through.

L. E. CLARKE,
Dispatcher of Trains.
R. M. SULLY, General Superintendent.
feb 24-tf

CONDENSED TIME
PIEDMONT AIR-LINE.
RICHMOND AND DANVILLE RAILROAD

TRAINS GOING SOUTH

| Time, Feb. 3rd, 1878. *Meal Stations | No. 1. Daily. | No. 3. Daily. |
|---|---|---|
| Lv Greensboro | 5.25 p m | 8.45 a m |
| Ar Salisbury | 7.35 p m | 10.3[illegible] a m |
| Lv Salisbury | 7.37 | |
| Ar Air-Line Junction | *9 15 p m | *12.15 m |
| Ar Charlotte | 9.42 p m | 12 30 p m |

No. 1—Connects at Greensboro with Salem Branch; at Air-Line Junction for Atlanta and all points in the South and Southwest: at Charlotte with C., C. & A. R. R. for all points in the South and Southeast and Florida points.

No. 3—Connects at Greensboro for Raleigh, Goldsboro, and all points on N. C. R. R.; at Salisbury with W. N. C. R. R. for all points in Western North Carolina: at Charlotte with C., C. & A. R. R. for Columbia and the South, and A. & C. Air-Line for Atlanta and the southwest.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

| Time, Feb. 3rd 1878. *Meal Stations. | No. 2. Daily. | No. 4. Daily. |
|---|---|---|
| Lv Greensboro | 10.42 p m | 8.16 a m |
| Ar Danville | 12.37 p m | 10.10 a m |
| Lv Danville | 12 39 p m | |
| Ar Dundee, Va Mid June, | 12.42 p m | 10.14 a m |
| Ar Burkeville | 5.07 p m | 3.10 a m |
| Lv Burkville | 5.10 p m | |
| Ar Belle Isle | *7.20 p m | *5.55 a m |
| Ar Richmond | 7.45 p m | 6 15 a m |

No. 2—Connects at Greensboro for Raleigh Goldsboro, and all points on Salem Branch and N. C. R. R.; at Burkeville with A. M. & O. R. R. for Petersburg, etc.; at Belle Isle with Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac R. R. for all points North, East and West: at Richmond with C. & O. R. R. for the West.

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE
Raleigh & Gaston Railroad.

RALEIGH & GASTON RAILROAD,
SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,
Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 19, 1878.

On and after Sunday, January 19, 1878, trains on the Raleigh & Gaston Railroad will run daily (Sundays excepted) as follows:

MAIL TRAINS.

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| Leave Raleigh at | 10:30 A. M. |
| Arrive at Weldon | 3:00 P. M. |
| Leave Weldon at | 12:40 P. M. |
| Arrive at Raleigh | 5:15 P. M. |

ACCOMMODATION TRAIN.

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|---|---|
| Leaves Raleigh at | 9:30 P. M. |
| Arrives at Weldon | 5:00 A. M. |
| Leaves Weldon at | 9:30 P. M. |
| Arrives at Raleigh | 5:20 A. M. |

Mail train makes close connection at Weldon with the Seaboard and Roanoke Railroad and Bay Line Steamers via Baltimore, to and from all points North, West and Northwest, and with Petersburg, Richmond, and Washington City, to and from all points North and North-west. And at Raleigh with the Raleigh and Augusta Air-Line to Haywood and Fayetteville, Hamlet, Charlotte, Wilmington, and all points South.

JOHN C. WINDER,
mr 6-tf General Superintendent.

ATLANTIC AND NORTH CAROLINA RAILROAD.

On and after Sunday, March 10, 1878, trains on this road will run as follows:

EASTERN MAIL.

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| Leave Goldsboro at | 12 15 P. M. |
| Arrive at Morehead City | 6.54 P. M. |

WESTERN MAIL.

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| Leave Morehead City at | 11:00 P. M. |
| Arrive at Goldsboro at | 5:41 A. M. |

JOHN HUGHES,
mar Superintendent.